

WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong southeast winds, mostly cloudy and mild with showers, today and Saturday.
Vancouver and Vicinity—Fresh to strong southeast winds on the Gulf of Georgia, cloudy and mild with rain, today and Saturday.

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Tornado Leaves 23 Dead In Oil Boom Town In Louisiana

Buildings Flattened and Scores Injured in Twister at Rodessa

Blow Lasts For Only Two Minutes

RODESSA, La. (AP)—The death toll from Thursday night's destructive tornado that swept the northern part of this oil boom town had reached a total of 23 dead, three missing and 41 injured, a compilation by the Shreveport, La., Journal at 1:45 p.m. today showed.

Some estimates put the property losses as high as \$500,000. Torrential rains raised incipient flood threats in the south and southwest.

Rains of three or four inches fell in eastern Arkansas and western Tennessee. U.S. engineers stood by with sandbag supplies to meet threatened flood conditions on the White and Black Rivers in north central Arkansas. Flood waters closed a school at Newport, Ark., and rendered nine Arkansas highways impassable.

CLOCK STOPPED

The storm struck the town at 9:42 p.m. The hands of a big electric clock in the path of the twister stopped at that time. It blew in from the north and roared like a freight train, witnesses said.

For two minutes it whirled along Supply Street, leveling practically every structure in a block and half square area. Small frame houses collapsed like cracker boxes, tumbling in on their occupants. Larger business houses swayed and fell under the terrific blow, filling the air with huge splinters, tree limbs and other debris.

POWER LINES SNAP

The power system failed, throwing the town into darkness and adding to the confusion. Communication and power lines snapped, cracked and dangled dangerously throughout the area. Oil derricks toppled. One fell across a highway, blocking traffic. Another, uprooted and carried from the well, permitted oil to blow wild.

"People were running about," said Eddie Hill, 20-year-old oil field worker. "They seemed stunned."

Dead and injured were lying in the street and in the wreckage.

Volunteers rushed to the stricken area carrying lanterns, flashlights and torches. They dug into the wreckage blindly, guided in some instances by the cries of those trapped under demolished houses. Lack of facilities here prompted the transfer of the dead and injured to neighboring towns.

The tornado apparently singled out this oil boom town for its earthward descent as no other storms were reported within a wide area.

Trucks from nearby oil fields were rushed in and converted into ambulances. Governor Richard Leche acted quickly at Baton Rouge in dispatching aid. He mobilized National Guard and state police units for rescue and rehabilitation work.

Rodessa is an unincorporated town which sprang up three or four years ago in connection with the discovery of the vast Rodessa oil field, which extends through northwest Louisiana and northwest Texas.

Its population is estimated at approximately 2,000. The town is 42 miles northwest of Shreveport in the tip of Caddo Parish, where the Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana state lines converge.

Body Is Found

Near Shawmigan

DUNCAN (CP)—Constable R. Ross of the British Columbia Police said today he had found the body of William Latham, 88, near Shawmigan, B.C. Latham was reported missing early Thursday night.

U.B.C. Visitors Steal Platinum

VANCOUVER (CP)—More than \$100 worth of platinum fittings were stolen from the University of British Columbia laboratories during "open house day" last week, it was reported by university authorities today.

The platinum was in the tips on scientific apparatus used in several of the exhibits.

AUTO LICENSE SALES HIGHER

Plates Going 15% Faster This Year; Deadline February 28 at Midnight

Advance sale of automobile licenses in British Columbia this year is running about 15 per cent ahead of last year, provincial license headquarters said today.

This, it was explained, is about in proportion to the extra number of cars licensed during the last 12 months, although there is some tendency for people to get their licenses earlier.

At the Victoria office the staff so far has been able to handle applicants as they come without keeping anyone waiting and officials suggested that if those who have not got their plates yet make application during the next few days a big rush at the finish may be avoided so that none need be kept waiting.

The police intend to enforce the deadline for licenses rigidly. All cars must carry 1938 plates after midnight February 28.

\$100,000 Building For Vancouver

The provincial government has purchased a site in Vancouver for \$34,600 and proposes to erect a building costing upwards of \$100,000 to house provincial police offices and accommodation for auto and driving tests, Premier Pattullo said today.

The Premier said plans for the building have not been drawn yet.

Five Planes Of Japan Shot Down

HANKOW, China (AP)—In one of the most thrilling air battles of the Japanese-Chinese war, Chinese air forces today shot down five Japanese pursuit planes near Hankow.

The battle occurred when a Japanese squadron tried to raid this temporary capital of China.

Japanese Gain In China Rail Battle

Claim Troops Advanced 20 Miles South Toward Yellow River

SHANGHAI (AP)—Japanese troops were reported Friday to have fought through a 20-mile zone of heavy fortifications and captured Sinsiang, last important Chinese Peiping-Hankow railway stronghold north of the Yellow River.

Two flying columns, Japanese said, pressed westward from Sinsiang along a branch of the railway in pursuit of retreating Chinese.

News of the Japanese advance on the northwestern corner of the

Ice-clogged Rivers Flood in U.S.



A typical river scene of the last couple of weeks in the north central part of the United States is pictured above. Heavy rains and unseasonable thaws caused ice jams and floods in many streams. Taken at Milwaukee, the picture shows how giant ice cakes clogged the lower Milwaukee River, sending it out of its banks farther upstream. Thousands of families were made homeless for a short time by floods in Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois and other midwest states, and property damage ran into millions.

No Complete Bar to Japanese by Canada But Close Check-up

Japanese Own Timber in B.C. But Have Not Enough to Justify Special Mills in Japan, Says Pattullo

Japanese hold about 300,000,000 board feet of timber on the lower British Columbia coast, not enough to justify the erection of a mill in Japan to use it, a statement by Premier Pattullo today said.

The Premier said the public mind seemed to be very much exercised and that while no actual departmental cruise had been made, information which should be reliable indicated that the total amount of timber involved was less than 300,000,000 feet. The stand, he said, was not heavy and was a poor logging show.

"Reports have been current," the Premier said, "that Japanese were erecting mills in Japan to be supplied by raw logs from British Columbia. The amount of timber in question would not justify the erection of a mill in Japan."

Premier Tells Commons of Measures to Prevent Illegal Immigration

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada will not add fuel to the flames of international discord by excluding Japanese immigration and terminating the gentleman's agreement between this country and Japan under which immigration from that country is limited to 150 persons a year.

Prime Minister King made this clear in the House of Commons Thursday night as he adjourned debate on a private bill sponsored by A. W. Neill, Independent, Comox-Alberni, which would have had the effect of excluding immigrants coming from Japan.

The Prime Minister agreed with other speakers in the debate that the Oriental problem in British Columbia was grave, but he failed to see how an exclusion act at this time would help matters.

Aggressive measures were being taken to prevent illegal immigration and these would be extended, he said. The immigration branch, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, the Intelligence branch of the Department of National Defence and other government services had been co-operating for some time in stopping illegal immigration and in sending back persons found in violation of the law. (Turn to Page 3, Col. 5)

NIEMOELLER TRIAL

BERLIN (CP-Havas)—Rev. Martin Niemöller's trial, adjourned 10 days ago when the militant protestant opposition leader dismissed his three counsels, was resumed today behind closed doors.

Traffic Group May Total 1,500

OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP)—Members of the automobile Club of Washington came here today and requested the state to establish a statewide traffic observers' department of 1,500 "responsible citizens." The plan includes observers who would report traffic violations to the state patrol, which would warn violators and take action when offences are repeated.

Many Autos In Ontario Delayed

TORONTO (CP)—Motor traffic throughout southern Ontario slowly was returned to normal today as rain and rising temperatures softened the ice on streets and highways that for nearly 24 hours had seriously hampered vehicular movement in densely populated sections of the province.

SEVEN FOUND SAFE IN MINE

One of Eight Trapped By Water at Hazelton, Pa., Killed

HAZELTON, Pa. (AP)—Seven of eight men trapped by a rush of water in an anthracite mine at nearby Jeannetteville were found today, uninjured. The eighth was dead.

Officials of the Lehigh Valley company said the man who lost his life was Paul Kuritz, 40, Hazelton.

Rescuers pushing through tons of debris during the night found the body buried in mud piled up by the water that rushed into the mine Thursday from a pool, left as a result of surface mining.

The others were safe in a "rock hole" high above the reach of the water.

All said they "felt fine." They went home, not to a hospital. Two men rode to safety Thursday on the face of the wall of water which deluged the mine.

After an all-night struggle by fellow miners in debris, the seven men were rescued at dawn. — Kuritz died because he ran in the wrong direction.

Flood waters have rushed through anthracite mines in the Hazelton area on three occasions, causing 15 deaths. Twenty-two were saved.

Want Income Tax Right Exclusive

British Columbia With Ontario in Asking Dominion Vacate Field

Premier Pattullo today confirmed the statement of Premier Hepburn of Ontario that British Columbia will support him in the claim that the Dominion Government should vacate the income tax field, stating: "British Columbia believes it has a prior claim to incomes taxes."

The Premier explained that British Columbia first imposed an income tax in 1876, and that when the Dominion started a similar tax in 1917 it was called a temporary war measure. The Dominion, however, stayed in the field.

Since shortly after the war British Columbia has been urging the Dominion to withdraw its income tax. The fight was renewed by Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, when he took office in 1933. Because it is a direct tax the province claims it should have exclusive rights.

This year the two governments will collect about \$14,000,000 in incomes in British Columbia, divided about evenly between the two.

PRICE BALANCE ROOSEVELT AIM

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt made public an interdepartmental committee report today declaring the United States administration's program "seeks a balanced system of prices such as will promote a balanced expansion in production."

He said this did not mean inflation or further devaluation of the dollar.

Commenting on the report, which declared that in the present situation a "moderate rise in the general price level is desirable; and this rise need not and should not extend to all prices," the President said at a press conference. The problem was being attacked on a good many fronts.

British Government Seeks Show-down On Austria In Talk With Duce's Envoy

Fathers Bloc Plan



FRANZ VON PAPEN

VIENNA (AP)—Franz von Papen, who helped arrange last Saturday's meeting between Chancellor Kurt von Schuschnigg and Hitler, today presented himself as the father of a gigantic plan to organize "a commonwealth of nations in Middle Europe" under Germany's leadership.

The Reich envoy said the Austrian agreement was the first step in this direction. Other countries, he said in an interview, especially the succession states to the Austro-Hungarian empire, are expected to follow.

(Czechoslovakia, Poland, Roumania and Yugoslavia all received territories of the former Austro-Hungarian empire.)

U.B.C. Meeting On Fees Called

VANCOUVER — Representatives of the Board of Governors of the University of British Columbia and the Students' Council will meet to discuss the new \$25 increase in tuition fees, it was decided at a board meeting Thursday night.

Date of the meeting has not been set.

Municipalities Cut Taxes At Cost Of City, Mayor Claims

Reap Profits on Water at Victoria's Expense, Real Estate Board Told

Declaring that Saanich and Oak Bay were reducing their taxes by profits made on water, Mayor Andrew McGavin defended the increased water rates to municipalities, at a luncheon meeting of the Victoria Real Estate Board in Spencer's dining room this afternoon.

"The price we have fixed for water is a fair price, a price we can justify and a price we think should be paid without any question at all," the mayor said. "I see no reason why the citizens of Victoria should be asked to contribute each year to the reduction of taxes in the outside municipalities and that is just what happens when we do not get a fair price for our water."

QUOTES FIGURES

Mayor McGavin quoted figures from the annual reports of Oak Bay and Saanich for the year 1936 to show the profits they made on water.

"During 1936 we sold water to Oak Bay. They paid the city the sum of \$15,490," he said. "The municipality of Oak Bay retained that water and received \$47,649. After allowing for interest and depreciation and paying for the cost of maintenance and operation, they had a surplus in 1936 of \$22,533, which is, to say the least, a very handsome profit on a commodity costing \$15,490."

"It is also a wonderful rate of interest on the net debt of (Turn to Page 2, Col. 4)

While Chamberlain, Eden and Grandi Hold Conversation in Italy, Uneasiness in Europe Grows From Reports Italy Demanded and Received Pledge of Military Alliance With Germany If Mussolini Would Give Hitler Free Hand in Austria

OPPOSITION IN AUSTRIA

Monarchists, Socialists and Others Offering Resistance to Hitlerization

By A. D. STEFFERUD Associated Press Correspondent VIENNA — A rising tide of opposition swirled through Hitlerized Austria today.

Monarchists, their hopes of empire glimmering, sought to swing socialists behind them to combat Nazi inroads into the nation.

Their leaders met to formulate a working monarchist-socialist agreement.

(The Havas News Agency said it had learned the refusal of the Austrian government to make further concessions to Germany would be announced in a communiqué soon to be issued. The statement was expected to declare, Havas said, that official announcements already made in connection with the admission of pro-Nazis to the Austrian cabinet mark the extreme limit of Austrian concessions, and that rumors of a second stage of Nazification are unfounded.)

Members of the Fatherland Front, Austria's only legal political party, cried out during a conference against statements by Chancellor Kurt von Schuschnigg, who tartly replied they were there to listen, not to express opinions.

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Constable Reports Revolver Stolen

VANCOUVER (CP)—Constable G. Stiles of the city police force here is annoyed — to say the least. A thief entered his home Thursday night and stole \$5 and his service revolver and holster.

Cheapest Auto Is German Hope

BERLIN (AP)—Reichsführer Hitler opened Berlin's annual auto show today with the emphatic prediction "we shall soon build the cheapest car in the world."

Two Escape From Prison In Ontario

Young Men Disappear From Penitentiary at Collins Bay in Fog

OTTAWA (CP)—Two prisoners escaped from the Collins Bay penitentiary in Ontario this morning in a dense fog, it was announced by the Department of Justice.

The two are Charles Cornell,

LONDON (AP)—Great Britain's leaders today had an hour and a half of what was considered showdown talk with the envoy of Premier Mussolini on the role of Italy in the Austrian crisis.

While Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain and Foreign Secretary Eden were closeted at 10 Downing Street with Count Dino Grandi, diplomatic quarters insisted Grandi had demanded, and received, promises of a military alliance as the price of acquiescence in Reichsführer Hitler's virtual suppression of Austrian independence.

Grandi had two sessions with the British ministers, returning to Downing Street for a second talk at 3 p.m. This gave rise to belief that in the interim he had consulted Il Duce on the Austrian question.

NEW DEFIANCE SEEN

Diplomats, however, held little hope the conferences here would bring Mussolini into line with Britain and France. They said the alliance he sought with Berlin would cut Czechoslovakia away from France and possibly it would inspire him to new defiance of the western democracies.

The only hope for Britain and France, they said, was to put into force a new and forceful diplomatic policy.

Addressing the House of Commons before meeting Grandi, Mr. Eden gave assurances the British Government would continue to interest itself in the Austrian problem "in relation to central Europe as a whole."

This was taken to mean Britain was concerned also with the threat of Nazi expansion to Czechoslovakia and other small neighbors of Germany.

UNEASINESS GROWS

Diplomatic quarters here showed increasing concern over Mussolini's role in Germany's political thrust into Austria and its effect on Anglo-Italian relations.

Italy Thursday through an official organ expressed full approval of the increase of Nazi power at Vienna.

Diplomats said they were convinced Italy was about to get the military alliance with the Reich she wanted, and that it would include also Austria and Hungary.

EDEN RETICENT

LONDON (CP)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden was uncommunicative when questioned about Austria in the House of Commons today.

He said the government was watching the situation carefully. Labor members had a series of supplementary questions, but they elicited nothing further. Frederick Bellinger asked Mr. Eden to take an early opportunity of defining "what British interests in Austria are."

William Gallacher, Communist, (Turn to Page 2, Col. 3)

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OTTAWA (CP)—Two prisoners escaped from the Collins Bay penitentiary in Ontario this morning in a dense fog, it was announced by the Department of Justice.

The two are Charles Cornell, 17, sentenced to four years a year ago for burglary and wounding, and Gerald Blackburn, 21, sentenced last May to two years for burglary. Both were sentenced at Windsor, Ont.

Information received at the department is that they were sent to get some stone at the stone shed of the penitentiary and escaped under cover of the fog.

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PRINCETON, B.C. (CP)—A coroner's jury today decided Johannes Hagen, 29, was accidentally killed by a fall of rock in No. 4 mine at nearby Blakeburn more than a week ago. Witnesses testified the roof of the mine tunnel was in good shape when the accident occurred.

Federal Control Of Wages Opposed

Pearson Says B.C. Living Standards Would Be Lowered By Change

VANCOUVER (CP)—Hon. George S. Pearson would not be in favor of amendment to the British North America Act which would give the Dominion Government complete power to regulate wage standards in all provinces. The British Columbia Labor Minister made the statement in an address to the Vancouver Junior Board of Trade Thursday. He said that if such amendment were put in force, "British Columbia's standard of living would go down."

"We want to regulate our own standard of wages," he said. The provincial government, however, had "no objection to a uniform minimum standard of wages."

"If a change is made to the B.N.A. Act which will provide for a uniform minimum standard of wages in Canada, no province should be deprived of the right to go above that standard," he said.

The minister claimed British Columbia was "leading the way" in labor legislation, and that the standard of living on the Pacific Coast was higher than in any other province. Interests of employer and employee were "being done tail" so that all people will have their standard of living raised.

ITALIAN-GERMAN MILITARY ALLIANCE REPORTED

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asked whether "in view of the fact Austria's independence now has been disposed of, is it not necessary that something very urgent be done?"

The House smiled. Mr. Eden said nothing. The Foreign Secretary reiterated that the responsibilities are not exclusively our own. Asked if he would consult with the Little Entente nations, Mr. Eden asserted "all considerations such as those are at present in our minds."

He did not answer queries as to whether a special League Council meeting would be called to consider the situation.

AID IS URGED

LONDON (AP)—France today made strong representations to Great Britain in favor of "maximum help" by the two powers to Chancellor Kurt von Schuschnigg to resist further Nazi encroachment on Austrian independence.

Ambassador Charles Corbin conveyed the views of the French government to Foreign Secretary Eden after Mr. Eden and Prime Minister Chamberlain had two long conferences with Count Dino Grandi, Italian ambassador. Paris is said to have urged the closest contact between Mr. Chamberlain and Premier Chamberlains on a situation described as a grave concern to all Europe.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Jesse H. Jones, chairman of the United States Reconstruction Finance Corporation, announced loans to "all deserving borrowers" whom the agency is authorized to aid. Except for a few loans to railroads, the R.F.C. has made no new loans since last October.

Political Swing Seen in Japan

Demonstration in Tokio For Merging of Parties Into One

TOKIO (CP-Havas)—The attempt made Thursday to besiege the headquarters of Japan's two leading parties to expedite their unification into a single national body may presage important political changes, informed observers suggested today.

Some 400 demonstrators belonging to the "National Anti-Communist Defence Federation" staged a small-scale equivalent of Benito Mussolini's "march on Rome" by trundling into Tokio on trucks and stopping outside the headquarters of the Minseitō and Seiyūkai parties.

Police placed 416 people under "preventive" arrest. The well-informed Hochi Shimbun linked the incident, however, with the campaign for a single totalitarian political party which has been under way since 1936. Its sponsors are the powerful politicians grouped around the shadowy figure of Mitsuomi Toyama, chief of the Black Dragon Society and "the man behind the screen" in Japanese party politics.

MUNICIPALITIES CUT TAXES AT COST OF CITY, MAYOR CLAIMS

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their waterworks system, which from their balance sheet is in the neighborhood of \$40,000. Neither should it be forgotten that Oak Bay pays for many of its extensions out of revenue. In 1936 they spent nearly \$4,000 in this way. "In a few years time their waterworks system will be entirely clear of debt and they will be making a handsome profit each year. As a matter of fact the citizens of Oak Bay have never invested one dollar of their own money in their waterworks systems."

IN SAANICH

Turning to Saanich the mayor declared that this municipality had paid \$16,000 for its water. This was retailed for \$82,800.

"In 1936, after allowing for interest, depreciation, costs of operation and maintenance of their waterworks system, Saanich was able to use \$19,000 from the sale of water towards reduction of taxes," he said.

"Saanich has a surplus on hand of \$146,000 on their waterworks undertaking, out of which it has loaned to the general funds of the municipality, in other words for the reduction of taxes, the sum of \$79,000."

Mayor McGavin said that the new rates asked for would have the effect of reducing profits in Oak Bay by about \$10,000 and in Saanich by about \$6,000 assuming the same quantity of water was used.

The mayor also touched on the transportation question. He said that the City Council had had several meetings with officials of the B.C. Electric Railway Company.

He found that social service was still one of the most serious problems confronting the city. Though there had been a decrease in unemployed the higher governing bodies kept on reducing grants and placing more and more burdens on the city.

The refunding scheme had given the city "a breathing spell" by extending the time before any capital payments had to be met on bond. There had been no sharp reduction in taxes, because Mayor McGavin felt a sudden increase would create a bad impression.

CLOSE OFFICE DOORS

In referring to James Foreman's remark that Saanich might have to increase taxes \$15,000 for relief purposes, which if applied to the city would mean an extra \$75,000, the mayor said that if this happened he was sure that the city council would close the relief office doors.

Mr. Foreman made this remark in reporting to members of the board on the taxation committee. He also thanked the mayor for his address, paying tribute to his vigorous fight for property holders.

F. E. Winslow, in the discussion which followed, felt that instead of a reduction in mill rate a reassessment in property value would be more to the point. He said that many lots were being offered for a third of their assessed value.

Frank Burton was in the chair.

Employees Will Share in Profits

CINCINNATI (AP)—Proctor & Gamble Company announced today employees throughout the United States and Canada would receive profit-sharing dividends totaling \$753,000 at meetings scheduled for Saturday wherever plants are located.

OPPOSITION IN AUSTRIA

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BITTER SPEECHES

Exemplifying the bitter undercurrent were speeches "the people's" political representative and a local monarchist leader gave at an Innsbruck meeting.

A few days ago such expressions would have meant concentration camps.

"We haven't been informed about the Berchtesgaden talk nearly as much as Schuschnigg pretended," they said.

"From our provincial Fatherland Front leaders we hear Schuschnigg was under great pressure at Berchtesgaden; otherwise it is unexplainable how forces recently described as inimical to the state could get these concessions."

EXPERIENCE IGNORED

"It seems to us all the experiences of past years have been ignored. Does one think convicts released from concentration camps will ever be good Austrians?"

"A few weeks ago it was said illegal agitation was a matter for the executive branch—and now they make a man Interior Minister (Arthur Seyss-Inquart) who gets his instructions from Berlin."

"It seems to us Seyss-Inquart is the Austrian chancellor by grace of Hitler. As if to show the administration has abandoned all good, they will not readmit and pardon the Austrian legion, which was too great a loss for Germany."

BARRICADE THREAT

Workers' Guild leaders declared that if Austrian independence were in danger "we are ready to erect barricades against Nazism."

In many places one hears Austrians—accustomed since the 1934 Nazi putsch which failed, to "hush, hush" about government affairs—lament loudly their lack of information.

Socialists and Catholics pleaded with Schuschnigg for a voice in the conduct of affairs, and were told perhaps political societies would be formed to permit them and other groups to express opinions under police supervision.

Austrian Catholics expressed belief they had received a severe blow at the Berchtesgaden meeting, in which Schuschnigg yielded to Hitler. Schuschnigg, they said, himself a Catholic, should have intervened on behalf of German Catholics, at odds with the Nazi regime.

BUSINESS OPPOSED

The prospect of speeding up industry under German direction emerged as a likely practical demonstration of National Socialism's entry into Austria.

At once it met thinly-veiled opposition from some businessmen who fear there would result an unfavorable trade condition and currency depreciation.

ECONOMIC UNION

BERLIN (AP)—Chancellor Hitler was pictured by Nazi spokesmen today as determined to bring about economic union of Germany and Austria, realizing a German ambition thwarted by Great Britain and France in 1931.

Nazi spokesman predicted a monetary union between the two countries to synchronize banking and currencies. A customs union was taken for granted. Hitler,

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Junior Musical Arts Society concert Monday, February 21, 8.15 p.m. at the Victoria Truth Centre. Guest artist, Madame Eva Baird. Tickets 25 cents.

Paisley Cleaners and Dyers—We call and deliver. Phone G 3724.

Solarium W.A. linen shower, February 17 to 19. Baskets in stores.

St. Mary's Ladies' Guild "Bring and Buy" sale, Tuesday, February 22, St. Mary's Hall, 2.30 to 6. Musical program, afternoon tea 15 cents.

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they said, would first and foremost tackle Austrian unemployment with a vast public works program.

The world is awaiting a policy speech Hitler is scheduled to make before the Reichstag at a brief sitting in Berlin Sunday.

Sir J. H. MacBrien, Ill, Is Gaining

TORONTO (CP)—Some improvement in the condition of Sir James H. MacBrien, Commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, was noted in a hospital bulletin today.

Attendants said the patient had passed "a good night."

The police commissioner underwent an operation two months ago and had apparently been progressing satisfactorily until the last few days. Thursday night his condition was reported as "very critical." The nature of his illness has not been disclosed.

Potato Prices Set On Mainland

VANCOUVER (CP)—A new price of \$17 a ton for lower mainland potatoes to wholesalers was announced here today by the British Columbia Coast Vegetable Marketing Board.

The new price was \$2 higher than the rate set by the coast board here Tuesday and was announced after a conference Thursday between officials of the coast and interior vegetable marketing boards.

New f.o.b. prices of \$16 a ton for Kamloops potatoes and \$18 a ton for Ashcroft potatoes were also announced today.

Ontario Man Is Victim of Fire

BEDELL, Ont. (CP)—Rowat Christie was burned to death and his wife and four children suffered serious burns early today when their home was destroyed by fire. Two of the children, badly burned, escaped by jumping from an upstairs window.

Christie, it is believed, re-entered the house to look for Pauline, four, not knowing his wife had rescued the child, and was overcome by smoke.

U.S. BOMBERS AT BUENOS AIRES

BUENOS AIRES (AP)—A squadron of five huge bombers of the United States army roared over Buenos Aires at 11.08 a.m. E.S.T., today at the end of a 5,000-mile goodwill flight from Miami, Fla.

The planes approached El Palomar military base with their 20 motors—four on each of the "flying fortresses"—performing excellently. They had come from the United States with only one stop, at Lima, Peru, taking a little more than 12 hours for the second leg of the flight.

U.S. Export Copper Price Is Raised

NEW YORK (AP)—Price of export copper today was boosted to 10.17 cents a pound compared with around 10 cents yesterday. Cable advices to domestic trade sources reported an active buying movement abroad.

The jump lifted the foreign price to a premium over the domestic quotation for the first time in several months. Domestic sellers are currently quoting 10 cents. Metal circles calculated the foreign market, on the basis of today's price, was again at a level making it profitable for domestic copper to be sold abroad.

"North Americans" In Spain Battle

HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Border (AP)—Spanish insurgents' military dispatches today asserted government reinforcements, "mostly North Americans," had suffered "terrible punishment" in the Alfambra-Teruel sector in eastern Spain Thursday.

Insurgents said their troops broke through government lines in three places after a devastating artillery and aviation bombardment. Exact positions were not given. One thousand government soldiers were killed and several hundred prisoners were taken, "all of them foreign volunteers," the insurgents claimed.

GIRLS WHO HAVE NO BOY FRIENDS

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U.S. TAX REVISION

WASHINGTON (AP)—An agreement to modify a projected levy on family or closely-held corporations, enacted by United States House of Representatives today to consider debating the tax revision program in 10 days.

Burnaby Man Is Injured By Car

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—J. H. M. Cusance of Burnaby was in serious condition in a hospital here today with head wounds and shock suffered when he was knocked down by an automobile Thursday night. J. R. Matheson was held by New Westminster police on a technical charge of driving in the common danger in connection with the accident.

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Social Services Benefit in Ontario, Gardiner Tells Edmonton Audience

EDMONTON (CP)—An example of the "essence of Liberalism" was given by Hon. J. G. Gardiner, federal Minister of Agriculture, here Thursday night in a reference to the policy of Premier Mitchell Hepburn of Ontario.

Liberals believed that part of the profits derived from natural resources should be returned to the state for the benefit of all the people, said Mr. Gardiner. In Ontario, Premier Hepburn had taken part of the profits derived from natural resources and passed on from one generation to another. From one estate alone on which succession duties supposedly had been paid, the Ontario government had collected \$3,000,000, said Mr. Gardiner.

The government policies had turned a deficit of \$30,000,000 on an income of \$50,000,000 and an expenditure of \$80,000,000 into a surplus of \$9,000,000 on an income of \$80,000,000 and expenditure of \$71,000,000.

When Premier Hepburn had been accused of increasing taxation, he had shown additional revenue had come from earnings out of natural resources and spent on education and social services. That, said Mr. Gardiner, was an example of the essence of Liberalism.

Murdo Cameron
Of Regina Dies

REGINA (CP)—Murdo Cameron, former alderman of Regina, former member of the Saskatchewan Legislature and one of the best known figures in municipal organization work in Canada, died suddenly, at his home here Thursday.

Mr. Cameron was elected to the provincial Legislature in 1917, holding his seat until 1921. A year later he was appointed chairman of the assessment commission and continued in office until 1934, when he retired on superannuation.

COMPANY INCOME
TAX ON NEW BASIS

WINNIPEG (CP)—Amendments to the Manitoba Income Tax Act to be introduced in the Legislature by Hon. Stuart Carson, provincial treasurer, provide for a sliding scale of rates ranging from 1 to 10 per cent in the income tax on corporations.

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Above \$10,000 the rate will advance 1 per cent for each successive \$1,000 until a maximum rate of 10 per cent is reached on a net corporation income of \$20,000.

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by the Institute for Scientific Treatment of Delinquency and for some months has been receiving patients from magistrates.

Each case undergoes a physical and psychological test and a record of the patient's social history is taken. From these the doctors prepare their diagnosis for presentation to the police court, with recommendations as to the kind of treatment required.

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JAPANESE BY CANADA
BUT CLOSE CHECK-UP
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have entered Canada outside the scope of the agreement.

B.C. MEMBERS SPEAK

Eight British Columbia members in the Liberal, Conservative and C.C.F. parties favored the Neill bill and Conservative Leader Bennett agreed with it in principle. He thought, however, it should not be passed in the form in which it stood, but that it should be made effective at a given date a year or more hence or on proclamation. That would give the government time to communicate with the Japanese government and explain that it represented the will of the Canadian people.

Adjournment of the debate means the bill will have little chance of becoming an issue this session of Parliament. The motion to adjourn was not debatable and Mr. Neill mentioned that said he wanted it on the record.

The bill would have put Japanese immigration on the same basis as Chinese. This, as Mr. Neill explained, practically meant exclusion as only very limited classes of Chinese were admitted. It would end the gentleman's agreement under which Japan had agreed to limit migration to Canada in accordance with conditions in this country.

CONTROL NOW JAPAN'S

An objection to the gentleman's agreement stressed by Mr. Bennett and Mr. Neill was that it left control of migration to Japan. They contended Canada should have the decision as to who came to settle in this country.

Mr. King denied suggestions from supporters of the bill that the agreement had not been observed. It had been more than observed, he said. The number of Japanese coming was well under the 150 limit. In the past five years it had averaged about 81.

He did not deny there were surreptitious entries, but said these would take place even if an exclusion act was in effect. Special measures were being taken to prevent them.

The Prime Minister also agreed with Mr. Bennett that Japan and China should be treated alike in the matter of immigration. He was opposed to exclusion, however, because it was offensive and did not think Japanese should be excluded simply because Chinese were.

AGREEMENT URGED

The proper approach to the problem, he thought, was an agreement. Both countries might be induced to enter into a reciprocal agreement under which the number of their nationals coming to Canada should not be greater than the number of Canadians going to Japan and China.

All speakers carefully avoided comments on the present hostilities between Japan and China

and agreed Canada should take no sides in that conflict.

Mr. King recalled the international tension created when the United States passed an exclusion act against the Japanese in 1924. He thought the reaction now, in the delicate condition of world, and particularly Oriental affairs, would be much more serious.

DISTURBING EFFORTS

Certain persons in Japan for reasons which were known, he said, were doing all they could to stir up ill-feeling between Japan and Great Britain. They would seize on the passage of an exclusion act by Canada as an act of hostility on the part of the British Empire.

As to Mr. Bennett's proposal that the bill should pass but should not have immediate application, Mr. King thought it was not a good one. Hot words might be spoken in Parliament and forgiven, but if an exclusion were passed that was "one nation speaking to another," and no allowance could be made for it.

DEFENCE MEASURES

The government at present was taking steps to provide for the security of the people of British Columbia and no offence should be given which would increase the danger.

In saying the government had been studying surreptitious immigration carefully in recent years, with several departments working together to prevent illegal immigration and send back illegal arrivals as never before, that effort would be intensified.

CALLED JOKE

In starting the debate by moving second reading of his bill, Mr. Neill said Canada was the only Dominion of the Empire which admitted laborers from Japan.

"It wasn't a gentleman's agreement at all," he said, "it was a gentleman's joke."

The British Columbia member said Royal Canadian Mounted Police had found 75 faked birth certificates among Japanese which led to discovery of fishing licenses obtained fraudulently.

While Canada was almost prohibiting British immigration, Japanese were allowed in to the full quota limit, Mr. Neill said.

A feature of Japanese immigration to Canada was the big birth rate of Japanese in British Columbia, Mr. Neill said.

If Ontario had the same relative number of Japanese as British Columbia, it would have 312,000, he said.

POSSIBLE INCIDENTS

Mr. Bennett said the situation in British Columbia was acute, and added that "it may manifest itself in very strange ways in the next few weeks." Action must be taken but, at the same time, Canada must maintain an even balance between China and Japan.

Canada had a long coastline on the Pacific, Mr. Bennett said, but he did not think this was the time to say what information the Japanese had on Canada's

coastal waters, ports and resources.

Canada should maintain a strict position of neutrality and take no sides as between China and Japan, Mr. Bennett said. At the same time, both nations should be placed on an equal basis as to immigration. While he believed in the principle of the Neill bill, it might be interpreted at this time as an indication Canada was taking sides against Japan.

The Neill bill might be better if it contained a clause that it should come into operation on proclamation or a year or so after it was passed, Mr. Bennett suggested. He did not believe it should be passed in its present form. The government first should be given an opportunity to express to the Japanese people its intention of doing away with the gentleman's agreement and fulfilling Parliament's desire for immigration equality between China and Japan. The longer the problem was left alone, the greater it would become.

STATE WITHIN STATE

Howard C. Green, Conservative, Vancouver South, supported the bill and said the Oriental problem in British Columbia was becoming worse every year.

The Chinese population of British Columbia was decreasing, but the Japanese was increasing. There were now about 30,000 Japanese in British Columbia and there was room for no more.

More than 90 per cent of the Japanese in Canada were in British Columbia.

"There is growing up in British Columbia a state within a state," said Mr. Green.

Employment in industry was

seriously affected. Japanese occupied a large place in the fishing industry. Many were engaged in farming, lumbering, mining, paper industries and in business.

T. REID SPEAKS

Thomas Reid, Liberal, New Westminster, also opposed Japanese immigration.

In the last few months the R.C.M.P. had been checking Japanese for false entry, Mr. Reid said. It was found 600 had made illegal entries to Canada and 900 had left the country to avoid the police check.

C. Grant MacNeill, C.C.F., Vancouver North, also supported the Neill bill because he could see the need of no more labor competition in British Columbia.

WAR IN CHINA

H. J. Barber, Conservative, Fraser Valley, supported the Neill bill.

Hon. Grote Stirling, Conservative, Yale, said members from British Columbia were "a sort of listening post for the rest of Canada on this Oriental question. He believed the time had come when Canada should say who might come into the country."

Angus MacInnis, C.C.F., Vancouver East, said the gate to Oriental immigration should never have been opened.

J. S. Taylor, Independent, Nanaimo, said if full rights of citizenship could not be granted to any people they should not be permitted to settle in Canada. Every person in Canada should owe allegiance to only one country.

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Japanese Immigration

NEITHER PRIME MINISTER KING NOR, presumably, Conservative Leader R. B. Bennett intends to get excited over the Japanese immigration situation which has recently been brought to the attention of the public. Mr. King agrees that the number of Japanese nationals in this province presents a complex problem; but he does not see that any good purpose would be served if Canada were to break the gentleman's agreement entered into by this country and Japan nearly 30 years ago. Under that agreement the influx of Japanese was to be limited to 150 a year. The Prime Minister told the House of Commons yesterday that this number not only had not been exceeded but had not been filled in any year of the last five, the average being about 81.

Mr. Bennett agreed with the "exclusion bill" sponsored in the House of Commons by Mr. A. W. Neill (Independent, Comox-Alberni), but in principle only. He thought it should not pass in the form in which it stood but that it should be made effective at a given date, a year or more hence, thus giving the government time to communicate with the Japanese government and explain how the Canadian people felt about the matter. Both the Prime Minister and the Leader of the Opposition thought that Japan and China should be treated alike in the matter of immigration. Mr. King does not consider Japanese should be excluded merely because Chinese are.

In view of the fact that the Prime Minister adjourned the debate on the bill, it follows there is very little likelihood of its becoming an issue this session. It is just as well. This is a time for Canada to keep cool on any matter, the too free airing of which in Parliament would tend to add new irritation to an already badly irritated world. Eighty new Japanese arriving in Canada yearly—under an agreement—cannot seriously be regarded as a vital invasion.

Mrs. Spofford

FEW CITIZENS IN THE HISTORY OF Victoria have contributed as lavishly of their time and talents to its moral and physical welfare as did Mrs. Cecelia Spofford. After 61 years of residence here she has passed to her last rest, and will be mourned by a wide circle of friends in this community and in many parts of British Columbia.

As far back as the 'eighties Mrs. Spofford championed the cause of women and children in whatever sphere their special well-being became in the least involved. She pioneered in women's organizations in a day when the emancipated woman was looked upon with opprobrium—when to be an out-and-out feminist demanded an invincible courage. Throughout the years that courage never failed her. The death of her husband recently naturally was a blow from which she did not recover, but up till a short time ago her outstanding gifts of leadership kept her active in all those affairs which concerned the public good.

Mrs. Spofford was possessed of an amazingly keen and analytical mind, a broad tolerance and vision, a clarity of purpose which added force to all she said and did—and she was a gifted public speaker—attributes which the passage of time seemed merely to ripen and enrich. Indeed, age did not wither nor custom stale the infinite variety of her interests, while as a philosopher and sociologist she had few equals in this province.

Heating and Housing

IT WAS MARK TWAIN WHO SAID THAT everyone talks about the weather but no one does anything about it. Each year, however, science and engineering make the famous humorist's quip slightly less applicable.

Weather, of course, is only another name for man's atmospheric environment. At least that aspect of weather is one of the most important to human welfare. As Prof. Earle B. Phelps of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, recently said, "By means of clothing, umbrellas, shut-in cars and other sheltering devices we do maintain, even in our travels, a sort of personal weather environment and, when we confine the weather within walls, we do with it as we will."

Health and comfort, Prof. Phelps goes on to add, demands a balance among the various manners of heat loss of the body in addition to an over-all balance between production and total loss. "An Arctic explorer, in his furs, and a swimmer in the surf may both be disposing of the same number of calories per hour, but one would hardly class the two environments as equivalent," he said. Yet each man might, at the moment, be equally comfortable.

Indoors it has long been recognized that air temperature, humidity and movement are all factors in determining comfort. But also it is now recognized that there is a fourth factor, the temperature of the walls of the room. It has been shown that radiation from the body to the walls may account for nearly half the body's total loss of heat. It has been on these findings that home heating of the future has often been predicted as consisting of heated walls.

Labor's Significant Victory

THE ELECTORS OF THE BOROUGH OF Ipswich, there are 62,000 on the latest electoral roll—have changed their representation in the British House of Commons from Conservative to Labor. In a by-election on Wednesday, Mr. Richard R. Stoke, opposition candidate and chairman of a big engineering firm, polled 27,604 votes against 24,443 cast for the government's standard bearer, Mr. H. Urmston Willink, or a majority of 3,161.

This by-election was caused by the elevation to the peerage of Sir F. J. C. Ganzoni, Bt., who had held the seat for the Conservative party since 1914, with the exception of that short period of Labor's first reign, when in the general election of 1923 he had to bow to his opponent in a vote of a little more than 31,000. The Ramsay MacDonald party's candidate won by less than 500 votes. Ganzoni won it again in the "red" election of 1924 with a majority of nearly 4,000. In every contest in this riding since 1918, incidentally, until the one this week, the two contestants have been Conservative Ganzoni and Laborite R. F. Jackson, who sat on the ministerial side in 1924 in support of Mr. MacDonald's first government.

Wednesday's fight, described as one of the bitterest in many years, had attracted the attention of the nation as a whole, since it was regarded as the first real straight test of the government's recent policies, particularly of its management of the country's foreign affairs. Premier Chamberlain and National Liberal Chancellor of the Exchequer Sir John Simon had backed to the uttermost the wealthy lawyer candidate Willink, while Mr. Lloyd George, assisted by Liberal member of the House of Commons, daughter Megan, had urged the election of Labor's nominee.

The battle cry of the Conservative candidate was: "Does Ipswich want in these critical days to strike a blow at Chamberlain, Eden, and the National Government?" Mr. Lloyd George informed him that if the administration at Westminster had adopted a firmer attitude toward the various trouble spots, "the world's militaristic dictatorships would have heeded our protests and the League of Nations would now be a real security for peace." Naturally, winning candidate Stokes made much of the fact that his firm had offered to make munitions without profits for the rearmament program, but the Chamberlain cabinet had refused to consider his proposition.

Labor's victory in Ipswich—won by Conservative Ganzoni for the seventh time in 1935—is all the more remarkable in that a government majority of two years ago of 7,250 now has been changed to an opposition triumph with a margin of 3,161—a turnover of 10,000 votes. Also, this is the seventh Labor gain from the administration since the 1935 election, a sign of the trend of public thought.

Schooling Brides

GERMANY IS NOT TAKING ANY chances on its future generations. Herr Hitler wants permanent marriages and large families, and as a means of insuring this he has established a school for Nazi brides. For six weeks the brides-to-be will live in model three-room houses, learn to sweep, to sew, and we may be sure they will get plenty of kitchen training, for the Nazi government believes strongly in the German version of the old adage about the way to a man's heart, etc.

It is not a bad idea for any nation, Nazi or otherwise, as an aid to marital happiness, but why stop at a school for brides and neglect the unworthy groom? He could be taught to wipe his muddy feet before tramping up the clean kitchen floor, to put his soiled shirts in the laundry instead of in the corner, to remember anniversaries and birthdays, to notice the advent of each new hat.

What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the goose-stepper.

Notes

According to a new song hit, there is a gold mine in the sky. Such ideas are dangerous, as whole schools of economics have been built on less.

According to reports from its showings elsewhere, that March of Time movie of Germany teaches us that a well-managed country is a wonderful place for everybody but the people.

MEDICINE BACK TO SPECIFICS?

From New York Post
It is quite obvious that we are entering a new age in medicine, a new style of medical thinking. We are encouraged to this view by the reported discovery, at Columbia, of a new chemical which fights the viruses which produce the common cold and diphtheria, and by the discovery, at Yale, of another chemical which dissolves breast cancers in mice, producing cures.

These announcements follow the sensational results with still a third chemical, sulfanilamide, in the fight against streptococcal infections.

There used to be a time when medicine had lost a great deal of its faith in medicines. Doctors for some years have been fond of saying that there are, after all, only two tested and proved specifics—digitalis as a heart stimulant and quinine for malaria. For all other diseases, the theory ran (always offered with a deprecatory smile) the doctor did what he could, depending on anti-toxins, routines of rest and feeding, etc. The old doctor with his particular pill for every particular ill was looked down upon.

Now we seem slowly to be heading back where we started. Sodium sulfanilic sulfanilate for virus infections, maybe soon heptyl-aldehyde for breast cancer (though no human experiments have been made), sulfanilamide for streptococci and neosalvarsan for syphilis, of course. Is medicine heading back to the pill-box, this time on a scientific basis?

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

BEDROOM CONVIVILITY

MAGISTRATE HALL'S ruling that a registered guest at a hotel may drink himself into insensibility in his bedroom but cannot offer a drink to a friend produces in our British Columbia liquor law that reduction ad absurdum which old Euclid used to such advantage. This, no doubt, is the law, since the magistrate has said so, but it violates the whole principle under which government control operates. Under government control a government—every government in Canada—tries to sell as much liquor as it can simply as a method of taxation; for though most of the money goes out of the country and is a drain on our economic strength, it is a painless method of taxation and that, above all, is what governments want. But now it turns out that the hotel party, one of the main sources of revenue in this province, has been made illegal by the very legislatures which want to encourage the sale of liquor. Magistrate Hall's decision thus aims a grave blow at the government's revenues. However, there is nothing to be alarmed at, for hardly anybody will obey his ruling. Still, lest some people take their duty as law-abiding citizens seriously, the Legislature had better change the Liquor Act. You never know when some wrong-headed citizens may begin to obey the law and refuse to offer their friends a drink.

TEA PARTY

THE ECONOMICS of the world's growth, as Mr. Roosevelt was out to raise prices, and in many a claim call he told the people he would raise prices or bust. He raised prices. Everybody cheered, even the housewife who had to pay them. Then came the break of last August and, as times got harder, people began to complain about the cost of living.

The President immediately issued another claim call, saying he would find out who had raised prices to the poor people (which shouldn't be a difficult feat of detection, since he need not look past his own shaving mirror in the morning).

This was all jolly enough, but the other day there came from Washington a further hectic stanza in this great epic. It was announced quietly, with a lot of deceptive trimmings, that the United States government was going to modify its policy of sterilizing gold, and after this would use part of the new gold which it is acquiring from everybody (including British Columbia) as the backing of new money. The public was so confused by the technical explanation of the government's plan that it hasn't realized yet that this is simply inflation. And it is designed, so the official announcement says, to raise commodity prices, which have been sagging.

Even this last choice morsel seems to have escaped the public. It means that having raised prices, having been outraged to see them rise, having promised to reduce them, the government of the United States is now determined to raise them. The Mad Hatter's Tea Party was never as good as this. Meanwhile the government of Canada promises to investigate living costs, which are reported to be too high, but this won't do any good if the United States is going in for higher prices. Ours are bound to follow theirs, as our currency does, as it must. So, willingly or not, you are a guest at the Mad Hatter's Tea Party and will eat what is set before you. If you can pay for it.

EXPLANATION

YOU MUST wonder sometimes what I am talking about in this column. It is a common source of wonderment to me also. But sometimes, though not often, there is an explanation. Sometimes I write something for this column, red hot about the news of the day, and it doesn't appear for three or four weeks, and then you can't remember anything about the original subject and imagine I am making something up.

This, of course, is all my fault because I work too hard. I always write more than this column can hold, and the printers upstairs, wise lads, take a blunt axe and cut off the bits that won't fit and put them away in a secret hiding place. Then some day when I forget to write anything at all, they always have something to fall back on.

To printers, you know, everything is just so much type, so many lines, so many columns, so many inches. I could fill this column with the alphabet printed over and over again and the printers wouldn't care. They never read it anyway. So it is nothing to them if they sneak to their secret hiding place and take out a piece of type two months old and shove it in here.

I know they have several columns hidden away now, like a dog who has buried a bone, and even though it has gone bad by this time and smells unpleasant they will be bound to use it sooner or later. They never waste it. I never dare to ask how much they have on hand, or what it is, and I haven't the moral courage to go up there and take it and throw it away when it is getting mouldy on it. No, my friend, you must endure it, old as it is, some day when I forget to write anything.

But this, of course, is just between us, so you will know what has happened one of these days when I refer to King Edward's abdication last week or the provincial election of last Thursday. After all, who cares? It is comfortable to have something in the cupboard. In fact, you might say I am the only going concern in Canada these days that has any reserves at all.

English boys have male teachers; Canadian boys are taught by spinsters. Englishmen don't live in terror of their women. Q.E.D.

NOT POLITICAL HELP-MATES

From Toronto Telegram
Mrs. Black, M.P. for the Yukon, says women have made but a small contribution to political life. We understand they have given but moderate help to campaign funds, also.

JOSEPH ROSE

OPTOMETRIST

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300th Anniversary of Malaria Cure

THE 300th anniversary of the first recognized use of cinchona for malaria is probably going to be celebrated throughout the world this month, although the same 300th anniversary was also celebrated nearly eight years ago in St. Louis.

Since cinchona has given mankind quinine, sovereign remedy for that ancient and disastrous plague of chills and fever, malaria, no one is likely to begrudge it a second 300th anniversary celebration.

The present celebration will mark the 300th year since Countess Ana de Chinchon, wife of the viceroy of Peru, was cured of intermittent fever by means of the bark which ever since has borne her name, cinchona. Records in the Missouri Botanical Garden at St. Louis show that eight years earlier, in 1630, the Spanish corregidor, Don Juan Lopez de Canizares, was cured of the intermittent fever by the use of this same cinchona bark. In fact, it was this corregidor who, learning of the illness of the countess, sent a package of the powdered bark to her physician. The Missouri Botanical Garden consequently staged a cinchona celebration in 1930.

The Peruvian Indians had known of the bark's value as a remedy for the fever we call malaria long before 1638 or even 1630. They called the bark "quinaquina," which gave quinine its name when that medicine was isolated from the cinchona bark in 1820.

The discovery of the way malaria is spread by certain kinds of mosquitoes has made it possible to bring the disease under control to some extent, but malaria is still a scourge in many parts of the world. The League of Nations Malaria Commission therefore recently announced that it officially advises a daily dose of quinine as malaria preventive during the malaria season in those regions where the disease is prevalent.

DOMINION DRAMA FESTIVAL
To the Editor:—The British Columbia regional contest of the Dominion Drama Festival, which is being held at the Empire Theatre, Victoria, on February 24, 25 and 26, is almost entirely supported by the sale of tickets for the contest, and the funds derived therefrom, after the deduction of production expenses, go to defraying the traveling expenses of the selected team or teams to represent this province in the finals at Ottawa, this year at Winnipeg.

I therefore appeal to the citizens of Vancouver and Victoria to support this contest by the purchase of tickets, so that a considerable grant may be made to the selected team or teams in order to save them the humiliation of going round to their friends to raise the funds necessary for them to suitably represent this province.

T. L. THORPE-DOUBBLE,
Chairman,
B.C. Regional Contest
Committee D.D.F.
1712 Monteleith Street.

DOG LOVERS' ANNIVERSARY

To the Editor:—Fifty years ago, the same year as the Canadian Kennel Club, the Victoria City Kennel Club came into existence, and has catered to the dog-loving public by holding at least one dog show a year and has, as funds permitted, contributed to local charities.

At a general meeting of its members it was agreed to celebrate the club's jubilee year by holding two championship shows, one in April and another in the fall.

The members agreed that the custom of soliciting prizes for the dog show from the city merchants be discontinued for this year, and that no one be authorized to make any request, either personally or in writing, to obtain prizes, which will be purchased by the club. Of course, anyone voluntarily wishing to donate a prize or funds toward the club may do so, and it will be gratefully accepted and acknowledged by the club.

We trust that the public will support the club in signaling its jubilee by large entries and attendance.

N. P. BOWDEN, President,
Victoria City Kennel Club.

Parallel Thoughts

Take therefore no thought for the morrow; for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof.—Matthew 6:34.
—Trust no future however pleasant; let the dead past bury its dead. Act — act in the living present, heart within, and God overhead.—Longfellow.

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Better English

By D. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "I am going to lay down for an hour."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "Des Moines" (Iowa)?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Deceive, receive, believe.

4. What does the word "indefensible" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with ene that means "to impede in motion or action"?

Answers

1. Say, "I am going to lie down." 2. Pronounce de-moin, e as in her, oi as in coin, accent last syllable. 3. Believe. 4. That cannot be annulled or forfeited.

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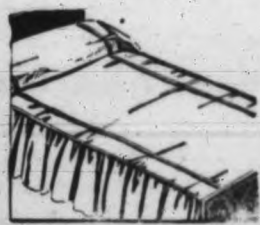


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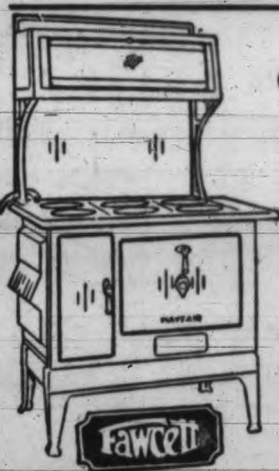
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Chinese Girl Nurses At Front

Over 200 Already In Service, Says U.S. Chinese Graduate

HANKOW (CP-Havas) — A young, western-educated Chinese woman, smartly dressed in a military uniform, yesterday gave the foreign correspondents here an account of China's plans to mobilize women, young and old, at the front and behind the lines.

The informant was Miss Chen, graduate of the University of Michigan and a technician before the war in the railway ministry. A typical example of China's "new woman," Miss Chen now directs training of student nurses in first aid methods.

Older woman, Miss Chen said, will be given the double task of taking care of children and working in factories, and the young women will be sent to the front.

Of the thousands of Chinese girls enrolled in the nursing corps 200 have completed their course and have been sent to the various battlefronts. They range in age between 17 and 22.

Miss Chen said Chinese women have proven their worth under fire and that at least 1,000 women in uniform are enlisted in the central government ranks, engaged mostly in nursing and propaganda work.

The monthly meeting of the First United W.M.S. will be held Monday afternoon at 2:45, in the Sunday school hall.

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Mrs. C. Spofford Is Called To Rest

Pioneer Leader Is Mourned By Many Organizations

Mrs. Cecilia McNaughton Spofford, pioneer resident of Victoria and feminist leader for nearly 60 years, passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital early this morning, in her 79th year.

Possessed of an amazing vitality and youthfulness of spirit, despite her age, Mrs. Spofford enjoyed splendid health until about nine months ago, but seemed to be well on the way to recovery when the death of her husband, the late Wm. H. Spofford, on December 11 of last year, caused a relapse. She recovered sufficiently to go over to Vancouver to recuperate, but on her return last Saturday was again taken to hospital and gradually sank until the end came today.

Mrs. Spofford was born in North Sydney, Nova Scotia, of United Empire Loyalist stock, on December 4, 1859, and came to Victoria in 1877. In that year she joined the First Baptist Church here, and was a charter member of its women's group.

In recognition of her services to the Baptist Church she was honored in 1929 by being made president of the B.C. Baptist Convention, and was honorary president of the Women's Baptist Convention at the time of her death.

FOUNDED W.C.T.U.

Mrs. Spofford was associated with the late Frances Willard in founding the Provincial W.C.T.U. here in 1883, and was its first recording secretary. She was also a charter member and one of the founders of the Provincial W.C.T.U. Home on Ida Street, and up to her death was corresponding secretary of the board. She also was one of the founders of the Local Council of Women here, during Lady Aber-



THE LATE MRS. C. SPOFFORD

deen's visit in 1893, and from that date had carried on an unbroken record of service on its executive, having resigned its presidency only a year ago, to accept the presidency of the Provincial Council, an office she retained to her death. She was also for many years on the executive of the Women's Canadian Club, and its president in 1928-29.

An ardent champion of the woman's cause, Mrs. Spofford was a pioneer in the feminist movement, and staunchly advocated the entry of women into public office. From 1919 to 1921 she served on the board of school trustees, and to her influence may be attributed the broadening of the school curricula to embrace domestic science.

A remarkable tribute was paid her when, on the occasion of her golden wedding in December, 1933, women's organizations of the city joined in tendering a reception to her and her husband at the Empress Hotel in recognition of her long services to the community.

TAUGHT SCHOOL

Educated in the Central and Victoria High Schools, Mrs. Spofford decided to take up teaching, and became the first teacher in the West Sannish school, near Keating. Later she taught for a year in a school near Burgoyne Bay, Salt Spring Island, at a time when conditions on the island were extremely primitive, such transportation as there was being ox-drawn sleds on the roughest of roads.

A life-long Liberal in politics, Mrs. Spofford for many years was a member of the Liberal Women's Forum. In 1919 she was appointed a member of the Social Welfare Commission.

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To Marry In March



Miss Patricia Stevens, daughter of Hon. H. H. Stevens, of Vancouver, who is to be married in the mainland city on March 10 to Mr. Clifton Hall Coolidge of Winnipeg.

Society

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Primrose of Edmonton are spending a week in Victoria with Mrs. Primrose Sr., Tweedsmuir Apartments.

Judge and Mrs. P. S. Lampman, the Uplands, who are wintering in California, are expected back in Victoria at the end of this month.

Mrs. W. Boulton of Vancouver and Mrs. M. M. English of New Westminster are visitors from the mainland spending a few days in Victoria with relatives.

Miss Maud Dixon, who has been visiting in Vancouver for the last few days, returned to Victoria this morning and left this afternoon accompanied by Miss Violet Johnston for Seattle, whence they will sail tomorrow for England, via the Panama Canal.

Mrs. Forrest Angus and Mrs. Roy Angus were joint hostesses this afternoon at a largely attended tea at the home of Mrs. Forrest Angus, St. Patrick's Street, Oak Bay. The tea table was centred with a bowl filled with iris, freesias and daffodils.

Mrs. Arthur Piercy of Shanghai, who has been spending the last eight months in England visiting her children, who are in school there, was expected to arrive in Victoria this afternoon. She will be the guest of her mother-in-law, Mrs. George Piercy, Linden Avenue, until sailing tomorrow evening aboard the Empress of Russia to rejoin her husband in China.

An enjoyable afternoon was spent by the many who attended the Valentine bridge tea held on Wednesday in the Odd Fellows Hall, Douglas Street, by Carle Rebekah Lodge No. 45. The prize winners were: First, Mrs. A. Ford; second, Mrs. D. McFarlane; consolation, Mrs. E. Holmes, and a hidden prize won by Mrs. J. Grant. The contract prize was awarded to Mrs. M. Clawson. The social committee served dainty refreshments.

Mrs. J. Mellings entertained on Monday afternoon at her home on Powderly Avenue in honor of Miss Dora Gascoigne, who was celebrating her birthday. The afternoon was spent playing Bingo, after which a sit-down tea was served, the table being decorated in Valentine colors and centred with a bowl of red carnations. Little Gloria Bennett presented a lovely gift to Miss Gascoigne from the assembled guests. The self-invited guests were Mesdames J. F. Adams, A. Bennett, C. Bennett, L. Young, J. Kinsman, E. Bennett, N. Hansen, E. Allen, J. Forbes, B. Blaauw, J. Mellings, the Misses Dora Gascoigne, Gloria and June Bennett, Doreen Forbes and Master Ronnie Forbes.

A delightful party was held at the K. of C. Hall Tuesday, when Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Waring celebrated the 21st birthday of their daughter, Audrey. The guests, danced to a three-piece orchestra. The spot dance was won by Miss Gertrude Wood and Mr. Harry Portingale; the statue dance by Miss June Todd and Mr. John Norrington. At the

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Y. W. Girls Keeping Busy

Dance Tonight and Club Tea Sunday on Schedule

The Y-Wenue Club of the Y.W.C.A. and the Quad Club of the Y.M.C.A. are looking forward to a happy affair tonight when they entertain the Senior Business Club and their friends. Dancing is to be the major attraction of the evening, while the refreshment committee is arranging the tea table, using the Valentine motif.

Miss Muriel Johnson talked informally to the Versatile Club last night, taking "Hints to the Hostess" as the subject. Folk dancing and dainty refreshments completed the club program for the evening.

The Blue Triangle Club enjoyed a Valentine party as guests of Mrs. K. O. Wright at her home last night. Games and colorful decorations provided happy interests for the club party.

Monday night the Senior Business Club will enjoy an evening of music. Robin Wood, a well-known local pianist of marked talent, will be the entertainer.

CLUB GIRLS TEA

A Club Girls' tea, is arranged for Sunday at 3 p.m. in the clubroom. Members of all the girls' groups and friends are cordially invited to come. An attractive musical program is being arranged, and Mrs. Margaret Cook is convening the refreshment arrangements.

The "Y" Girls' Council executive is busily making plans for the girls' department "Join the Y Week," scheduled for February 20 to 27. The suggestion of linking themselves up to the whole association is being presented during the campaign week to the girls now belonging to the club groups.

The new High School Club has plans made for a hobo supper and movie party for tonight, meeting at the "Y" at 5. Any High School girls are welcome to join the group.

The "Y" basketball team played a league match against Victoria High School Wednesday. The game was perhaps the most interesting of the season, resulting in a tie of 11 points each. A return game is scheduled to determine the final result.

The Y.W.C.A. Badminton Club

will entertain a team of eight from the Civil Service Club on Wednesday night of next week. A fun tournament will be run off during the evening and a happy time is anticipated.

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Whole or Half Piece, 32¢
Smoked Jowls, 21¢
Smoked Cottage Butts, 24¢

FISH DEPT.
Whiting Fillets, 2 lbs. 25¢
Dressed Soles, 2 lbs. 25¢
Fresh Oolichans, 1 lb. 20¢
Smoked Fillets, 1 lb. 18¢
Eastern Kippers, per pair, 17¢
Eastern Haddie, 1 lb. 18¢
Smoked Whiting, 1 lb. 10¢
Fresh Kippers, 2 lbs. 25¢
Smoked Shrimps, 1 lb. 25¢

DELICATESSEN
Boiled Ham, 29¢
Bologna, 1 lb. 16¢
Veal Loaf, 1 lb. 27¢
Cottage Cheese, 1 lb. 12¢
Peanut Butter, 2 lbs. 21¢
Minced Meat, 2 lbs. 23¢
Picked Pork, 2 lbs. 23¢
M.Y. Fine Mayonnaise, 1 lb. 25¢

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Brunswick Sardines
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Kent's Cigarette or Pipe Mixtures, 15 lb. special, 59¢
Archer Cigarette Tobacco, 15-lb. tin, special, 50¢
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MASTER BAKER NO. 1 BREAD FLOUR
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24-lb. sack, 98¢
49-lb. sack, \$1.85
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DEMETERA SUGAR
4 lbs. 26¢

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10 boxes to pkt. 5¢

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34¢ 4-lb. tin

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2 lbs. 19¢

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ELECTRIC LIGHT GLOBES, 15, 25, 40 and 60-watt, 1,000-HOUR GUARANTEE. Special, 3 for 39¢
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Zeballos Has First Wedding

The first marriage at Zeballos, bustling mining boom town on the rugged west coast of Vancouver Island, took place on Valentine's Day between Maurice Joseph La Voie, formerly of Edmonton, and Jessie Evelynia, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Inge of Vancouver.

Rev. U. Laite performed the ceremony, which was witnessed by many of the mining town's residents.

Mrs. La Voie sailed from Victoria by Ss. Princess Maquina February 11 and the wedding took place immediately upon her arrival at the town.

She is one of half a dozen women in the town of 350 men.



PEELE-NICHOLSON

A quiet wedding took place on February 12 at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. A. Wilander, Vancouver, when Merle Ruth, youngest daughter of Mrs. Ida Nicholson and the late A. L. Nicholson, became the bride of Mr. Ronald J. Peele, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Peele of New Westminster. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Nelson Harkness.

Given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Ross Nicholson, the bride wore a gown with finger-tip jacket fashioned of deep plum blue lace. The bridesmaid, Miss Faith Wilson, wore coral crepe. Mr. Alec Murray supported the groom.

At the reception, Mrs. Stanley Peele of Victoria assisted the bride's mother in receiving. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. F. D. Lundy and Mrs. S. B. Peele. For traveling, the bride wore mauve velvet with matching accessories and sealskin coat. After their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Peele will spend some time in Vancouver before leaving for Premier, where they will reside.

Household Class Cooks For Guests

Work with electrical kitchen equipment has been part of the training included in the six-month household training course sponsored by the Y.W.C.A. and the Provincial Government.

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Mrs. M. A. Foulds, the director, spoke a few words telling of the training and Miss Helen Kirkwood, general secretary of the Y.W.C.A., congratulated the class upon their good work and interest, commending the B.C. Electric for its part in the program and wishing the pupils every possible success.

Attending the tea party were representatives of the Provincial Department of Labor, the board of the Y.W.C.A., the Victoria Order of Nurses and officials of the B.C. Electric Co.

The girls looked very smart in their uniforms, which had been made under the direction of Miss Ede of the dressmaking class.

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In Hyde Park



A new "tops" was reached in the recent trend toward masculine attire by this attractive young woman who was photographed in London's famous Hyde Park sauntering along in almost a purely masculine get-up. The handkerchief over her head, in Russian style, presents a charming if slightly incongruous note.

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Spinsters to Press for Pensions

British Women Not Satisfied With House's Decision

LONDON (AP)—Great Britain's spinsters, far from satisfied by a House of Commons agreement to investigate the practicability of pensioning unmarried women of 55 or older at the rate of 10 shillings (\$2.50) a week, today looked forward to bigger and better things.

"Ten shillings is too low," said Sylvia Pankhurst, noted suffrage leader. "One cannot keep body and soul together on that amount. I think the pension should be at least a pound (\$3.03) a week."

The House last night adopted without vote a private member's motion to set up a committee to study spinsters' pensions in spite of the government's coldness to the proposal. Members of all parties paid tribute to unmarried women.

Miss Florence White, founder of the National Spinsters' Pensions Association, while expressing gratitude for House of Commons' action, said: "We do not mean to rest on this advance. We want a final victory."

Last July Miss White presented to Parliament a petition bearing the signatures of more than 1,000,000 British spinsters asking for pensions at the age of 55.

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MRS. C. SPOFFORD IS CALLED TO REST

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which served in an advisory capacity under the provincial government, and was also a member of the Minimum Wage Board, which functioned prior to the present Industrial Relations Board. To both of these honorary posts, she brought the humanitarian and sagacious judgment which was one of her outstanding characteristics.

In addition to a brother and sister, David McNaughton, of Salt Spring Island, and Mrs. Florence Clyde, living in Victoria, Mrs. Spofford is survived by several nieces and nephews.

The funeral will be held on Monday, the arrangements for which will be announced later.

The regular meeting of St. John's W.A. will be held in the guild room at 2.30 on Tuesday.

The Gleaners of the First United Church Mission Circle held their monthly meeting at the home of Miss Grace Stewart, 621 Seaford Street, Wednesday evening. The worship service was conducted by Miss Jean Munro, and Miss Cora Wharton, after the business had been discussed Miss Jean Wilson read an interesting letter from a missionary in China. The guest speaker of the evening was Miss Margaret Caldwell, who spoke on the work which is being done by the Indian School at Ahousat. At the close, refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Full-fashioned and with extra wearing quality. **\$1.00**

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Smart new patterns in Dresden, Satin Brocade and Raysuede. Lace trimmed and plain. **49¢**

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GIRLS' COAT SWEATERS, smartly finished and have two patch pockets. Red and navy only. Sizes 28 to 34. A snap, each. **\$1.00**

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of floral prints that will wash well. Smart styles, neatly trimmed. Short sleeves. Good selection. Full range of sizes. **\$1.39**

RAYON BEDSPREADS, attractive and good quality. Shades are green, mauve, canary, blue and rose. Size 72x90 inches. Each. **\$1.59**

OUTSIZE RAYON BLOOMERS and PANTIES, tailored style. Pink, peach and white. A garment. **69c**



Men's Wear Specials Saturday

MEN'S Gabardine Coats \$20

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MEN'S PANTS of wool worsted material, well tailored. Blue, brown or grey shades. Sizes 30 to 44. **\$2.95**

MEN'S BROADCLOTH SHIRTS with collar attached and pocket. Various shades and patterns or plain white. Sizes 14 1/2 to 17 1/2. **79c**

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS of heavyweight domette or doeskin cloth. Dark or navy shades. Sizes 14 1/2 to 17. Each. **98c**

MEN'S PYJAMAS of Yama cloth, made with V-neck and pocket. Stripes and checks. Sizes 36 to 44. A suit. **\$1.79**

Spencer Foods

SATURDAY VALUES—CASH AND CARRY

EARLY SHOPPING VALUES—9 TO 10 A.M.
Bacon, sliced, unsmoked, 1/4 lb. **10c** (Limit 2 lbs.)
Mild Cheese, 1-lb. lots **17c** (Limit 2 lbs.)
Cottage Cheese, 2 lbs. **19c** (Limit 4 lbs.)

ALL-DAY VALUES
Bakeable Shortening, 2 lbs. **19c**
Silverleaf Lard, per lb. **12c**
Pride Shortening, per lb. **12c**

SPENCER'S FIRST-GRADE BUTTER
Pride, 3 lbs. **\$1.12**; Springfield, lb. **37c**; 3 lbs. **\$1.09**

Large Brown Eggs, Grade A, dozen **27c**
Summer Sausage, per lb. **25c**
Libby's Kraut, 2 lbs. **15c**
Cottage Rolls, Smoked, per lb. **25c**
Ayrshire Bacon, per lb. **24c**
Side Bacon, Sliced, per lb. **30c**
Maytime Cheese, 1/2 lb. **15c**
Ingersoll Loaf, per lb. **27c**
Sweet Mixed Pickles, pint **18c**

MEATS—AS CUT IN CASE

SUPER VALUES—WHILE QUANTITIES LAST
Dressed Rabbits, per lb. **13c**
Veal Steaks, per lb. **13c**
Pork Tenderloins, per lb. **25c**
Shoulders Mutton, lb. **9c**; Legs Pork, lb. **20c**
Oxford Sausage, Minced Steak, Sausage Meat, 2 lbs. **15c**

Prime Steer Beef
Blade Roasts, lb. **11c**; Cross Rib Roasts, lb. **13c**
Rolled Rib Roasts, lb. **14c**; Thick Rib Roasts, lb. **13c**
Rump Roasts, lb. **18c**—**16c**; Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb. **17c**
Round Steak, lb. **15c**; T-bone, Sirloin, lb. **18c**

Quality Mutton
Legs, whole, lb. **15c**; Chops, lb. **14c**; Breasts, lb. **8c**

Milk-fed Veal
Boneless Rolled Roasts, lb. **22c**; Rib Chops, lb. **25c**

Grain-fed Pork
Butts, lb. **18c**; Steaks, lb. **18c**; Loins, lb. **23c**

2c a lb. off Cash and Carry Meats (Super Values excepted) between 9 and 10 a.m. Shop in this hour and save.

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Legs Lamb, Whole or half, lb. **28c**
Lamb Chops, per lb. **22c**
Shoulders Lamb, per lb. **15c**

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ROYAL OAK
The annual meeting of the Royal Oak Boy Scout Association was held Tuesday evening, with the president, Major L. H. MacQueen, in the chair. The wolf cub pack promise was given by the Akala, Miss Elaine Humphries, and the Scout law promise was given by Scoutmaster V. E. L. Goddard. Miss E. Humphries reported that the wolf cub pack, formed in September, had a membership of 12. Miss Ruth-Smith was elected assistant Akala. Mr. Goddard reported a successful year for the Scouts with a membership of 19. The association's objective is to complete the Scout Hall on the West Saanich Road during the year. Officers elected were: Patron, Reeve W. Crouch; honorary president, Charles Lee; president, Major L. H. MacQueen; vice-president, J. Roberts; secretary-treasurer, B. M. Willoughby; committee, Mrs. A. C. Booth and J. S. Humphries.

STRAWBERRY VALE
A party was held by Mrs. A. Simpson of Eberts in honor of her daughter, Muriel, in Colquitz Community Hall on Saturday evening. Games and dancing were enjoyed by all. The guests included: Molly Raper, Grace Sinclair, Ida Riekk, Grace Hodgson, Jean Booth, Evelyn Burrow, Camilla Mudie, Betty Williamson, Goldie and Victoria Rodman, Joy Morral, Doris Preece and Dorothy Austin; Bob Simpson, Alan Ritz, Albert Travis, Don and Bert Simpson, Roy Speller, Stewart Hodgson, Ian Hoy, Dick Rodman, Charles Smith, Bud Simpson, John Burrow and Alfred Evans.

Trapping ducks is illegal, and federal agents recently destroyed nearly 500 wild duck traps in Maryland and Virginia.

The largest primitive area in the United States is in southeastern Utah, a region almost without trails and cut by deep canyons.

TO CONSIDER SALARY LIST

Saanich Employees Ask Council For Pay Increases

Salaries of municipal employees in Saanich will be considered by the Saanich Council this year in the drafting of the 1938 budget.

In response to requests from six employees for increases, the council last night approved a suggestion to have a list of salaries of all employees prepared for consideration.

Four of the six appeared before the council and the other two submitted written requests. One was a married man with three children who had been working for Saanich 20 years and was now receiving \$110 a month. A girl receiving \$65 a month and two younger male members of the staff receiving \$45 and \$60 a month were other members of the delegation.

Letters to the Editor

INDUSTRIAL MISSION HERE URGED TO HEAD OFF RACE DEGENERATION

To the Editor:—It is the environment which we are forcing our boys to live in and the conditions of life in which we are forced to rear them that brings into play laws of nature which assert themselves in one form or another, causing character to develop like its surroundings.

It is the heart-cry of many a mother in Canada today, "What is going to come to my children; what can be done to save the youth of Canada before it is too late; will my boy or girl be the next criminal?" The situation is growing most serious, prisons and terms of punishment is no remedy, while conditions go bounding onward unchecked.

We have for many, many years been spending money by the millions in sending out missionaries to far-off heathen lands to teach, preach and educate the people in the laws of health and how best to get necessities of life from the soil. A noble Christian work, indeed, and worthy. But now conditions have changed and the need for such service and assistance has come to our own doors.

The tables have turned—it is our own flesh and blood children who now need this aid, and we are withholding it from them.

One of the most successful and acceptable branches of missionary effort with backward heathen peoples was industrial missionary work.

What we so gladly and heartily send out industrial missionaries to do for semi-savage, ignorant heathen, as a service to God, surely we can do the same, the more devotedly, for our own civilized, educated, intelligent, Christian offspring here in Canada. Industrial mission work that can become such an uplifting power in far-off, backward lands, should at least be able to develop the same with our own children in their native land.

With this in view, I am urging the formation here of a Pacific Industrial Home Mission for Vancouver Island to begin with, an unsectarian institution, in which all churches and members of other sects and Christian bodies may become interested and take active participation in, to the extent of their ability. It would be a benevolent institution that would enrich no one, yet it would benefit many, and give new hope and faith to many of our now degenerating youth.

But this must be a people's movement to be effective, no political control and no government dictation of policy. It should be run on much the same lines as any foreign missionary society.

Often I hear the remark that things are getting terrible for the young people, but there's nothing we can do, we are helpless.

Now, the setting up of an industrial mission would at least give people the satisfaction of knowing there is something we can do, something all can take a part in, and it is in the people's own hands to finance it directly, instead of the extravagant way, through government loans and taxation.

This industrial mission would provide work for young people in a good Christian uplifting environment. The nature of its work could expend millions of dollars as effectively as tens and hundreds could be spent. There is almost no limit to the developments that could be undertaken on this island before we even touch the mainland. But we seek only a small beginning.

One of the first ventures we might undertake would be a night shelter for men in the city of Victoria, a place of welcome where the homeless wanderer may be sure of a good bath and a clean bed for one night at least, and

perhaps a cup of hot coffee in the morning as he takes the road again.

This appeal is written as a call and test to measure the trend of public opinion by reaction and support which the creation of a Pacific Industrial Home Mission would be likely to receive, if established. Letters on this subject may be addressed to me.

JAMES MOYES,
115 Regina Avenue.

TO MEET FAVORITE CAT IN HEAVEN

To the Editor:—In England, in 1936, there were 785,627 vivisection experiments, without anaesthetics, inflicted on animals, according to published returns of inspectors. But the number of animals experimented upon is much greater than this, as any number of animals can be used for a single experiment.

Miss Doris Ashdown lists as cranks, people who unweariedly fight against the cruelty. Blessed are the merciful.

Cruelty is cruelty. It is a definite and as it were a concrete force which must be done away with, I believe, before the faintest spark of spirituality can manifest itself.

That animals will have some share in the beatitudes, is borne out by the Biblical statement that "The Lion and the Lamb shall walk together." In other words, cruelty as an abstract force will no longer manifest itself even in savage beasts, and God knows, the smug, hypocritical cruelty manifested by humanity today may be even harder to eradicate.

I'm hoping to meet, in the next world, a favorite pussy cat of mine that died about seven years ago; a lively anticipation based on the teachings of great scientists, great poets, and above all on the Bible. Milton's "Paradise Lost," "Shelly's "Prometheus Unbound," Sir J. J. Thomson, Sir Oliver Lodge—scientists and poets alike, all assert that animals share in the universal law of love.

People should remember the prevalent animal vivisection, next time they have a toothache.

GLADYS SHRAPNEL,
1578 Clive Drive.

UP-ISLAND ROADS

To the Editor:—Mr. N. P. Dougan of the Balsam Farm takes me to task for what he designates as the "extolling of the Provincial Public Works Department."

The true consensus of the controversy is this: my part of the district did not get superior service or attention from our most impartial department, but my farm being located on a much more traversed public highway than your correspondents', we were naturally taken care of first at my end of the section.

Every intelligent person comprehends that if one locates or buys property, viz., in Tronche Alley in Victoria or Lover's Lane at Cobble Hill, one cannot reasonably expect the same volume of public service as others located, say, on Douglas Street or on the Shawnigan-Cobble Hill Boulevard.

Property on busy business streets costs more money, and so do farms on main arteries of travel. You cannot overcome the inevitable law of "you get what you pay for and justly cannot expect more."

My many years of experience in Ontario and Quebec taught me the essentials of being adjacent to a good highway, so, when locating on the island, I purchased my property accordingly and proportionally paid considerably more.

As regards Mr. Dougan's allusions to the "relief" system of employment on roads here, there might be a slight trace of veracity in his remarks if properly defined. The only relief labor employed here is about three or four heads of prairie families who moved into the district within the last year. The rest of the men employed on road work are farmers, home owners and taxpayers in the district. They are always employed in this manner when not busy on their own properties. Be it designated maintenance, compensation for taxes or as at present where the work is apportioned in ratio to the size of the families; no "relief" about it; a full day's work of eight hours at \$3.20 per diem.

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Saanich Council Briefs

Estimates of the police and health departments, submitted to the Saanich Council last night, were tabled for further consideration with the current year's budget. The health estimates aggregate \$13,500 and the police \$13,050.

Following the recommendation of the coroner's jury which investigated the death of John (Jackie) Irvine, Councillor J. W. Howroyd, Ward One, reported to the council that a sidewalk was now under construction on Shelbourne Street, between Ruby Road and Cedar Hill Cross Road.

Compensation to the extent of \$27.50 was allowed four Saanich farmers by the council under the

Sheep Protection Act. Allowances approved were \$20 to D. Turner for the loss of four ewes; \$4.50 to R. Mitchell for three geese; \$2.25 to C. H. Revercomb for three hens, and 75 cents to H. L. Briggs for one chicken. The stock in question was killed by marauding dogs.

The tender of Crane Limited of \$25.25 per 100 feet for 6,600 feet of two-inch water piping was accepted.

A request from the Social Service Exchange for a grant of \$50 towards operation expenses was refused on the grounds the exchange was a beneficiary of the Community Chest. A \$10 grant to the S.P.C.A. was approved.

Purchase of 80,000 gallons of coal tar from the B.C. Electric at a cost of 7 1/2 cents a gallon was authorized. Provision was also

made for the purchase of an additional 20,000 gallons if necessary for work during the year.

The council endorsed a resolution from the Penticton Council protesting amendments to the Old Age Pensions Act which provide for refusal of an application if the applicant has failed to institute legal action against children for maintenance.

NEW U.B.C. SENATOR

VANCOUVER (CP)—President L. S. Kilinch of the University of British Columbia announced Thursday that William Morgan, principal of the Vancouver Technical School, had been elected to the university senate for a three-year term. He succeeds Dr. Roy Sanderson of Kind Edward High School, as representative of British Columbia high school principals and assistants.

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CALGARY DEATH
CALGARY (CP)—Dr. Alexander Moore McKay, retired veterinary surgeon, died Thurs-

day at his residence here. He was 64 years of age and had resided in Calgary for 32 years. Dr. J. G. McKay of New Westminster is a brother.

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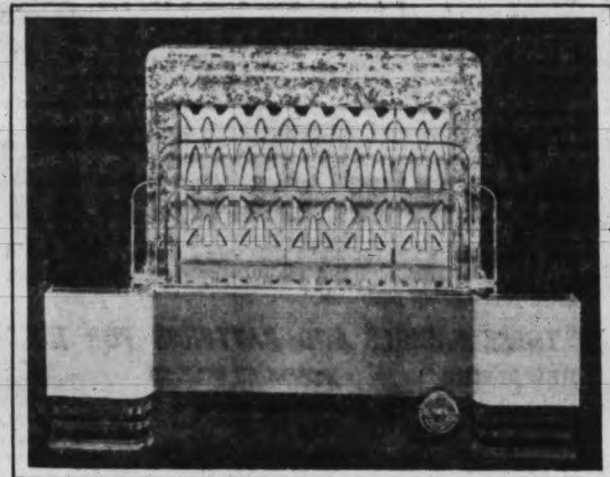
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Tonight

Hammerstein Music Hall—Columbia. Let Us Sing—Canadian. Army Band Concert—National Blue. Sophisticated Strings—National Blue. French Lessons—KOL.

5:30

Topics of the Day—Canadian. Junior Radio Guild—Mutual.

Paul Martin's Orchestra—National Red. Eddie Swarthout's Orchestra—National Blue. Sam Ricks—Canadian at 5:45. Little Orphan Annie—KIRO at 5:45.

6
Beaux Arts Trio—National Red. Nola Day, songs—National Blue. Hollywood Hotel, Frances Langford, Jerry Cooper—Canadian and Columbia. Under the Sea—KOL. Phantom Pilot—Mutual at 6:15. Howard Marshall, commentator—National Blue at 6:15.

6:30

John Teel baritone—National Red. Organ Concert—National Blue. Frank Bull sports—Mutual. Your Government—National Red at 6:45. News Flash—KOL at 6:45.

Radio Headliners

Tonight

6:00—Hollywood Hotel—Canadian and Columbia. 7:00—First Nighter—National Red. 7:00—Thomas Adamick Fight—National Blue. 7:30—Canada, 1938—Canadian. 7:30—Jimmy Fidler—National Red. 7:30—Shirley Temple—National Red. 8:15—Beaumont Newhall—National Red. 8:00—Circus—National Red.

Tomorrow

11:00—Wagner's "Lohengrin" in German—National Blue and Canadian. 7
First Nighter, "The Oregon Trail"—National Red. 7:30—Thomas Adamick Fight—National Blue. Canada, 1938—Canadian. Song Shop, Kitty Carlisle—Columbia.

7:30

Jimmy Fidler—National Red. Lone Ranger—Mutual. Bonjour, Paris—Canadian. Dorothy Thompson—National Red at 7:45. J. P. Bell—Columbia at 7:45.

8

Agnes N' Andy—National Red. Bobby Grayson's Orchestra—National Blue. News and weather—Canadian. Scattered Bells—Columbia. Uncle Ezra—National Red at 8:15. Lum and Abner—National Blue at 8:15. Ozzie Williams' Orchestra—Canadian at 8:15. Boake Carter—Columbia at 8:15.

8:30

True Stories—National Red. Henry Busse's Orchestra—National Blue. Minstrel Gallery—Canadian. Paul Whiteman's Orchestra—Columbia.

9

Newspaper of the Air—Mutual. Circus—Mutual. Cliff Clark—National Red. Dick Casper's Orchestra—National Blue. Northern Melodians—Canadian. Arthur Godfrey—Columbia. Along the Waterfront—KOL at 9:15. Orvin Tucker's Orchestra—Columbia at 9:15.

9:30

Happy Felton's Orchestra—National Red. Ray Wilson's Orchestra—National Blue. Kay Kyser's Orchestra—Mutual at 9:45.

10

News Flash—National Red. Louis Panico's Orchestra—National Blue. 1. Cover the Waterfront—Canadian. News—KNX. Lawrence Walk's Orchestra—Mutual. On the Air—Columbia. News and weather—Canadian at 10:15. Emory Deutsch's Orchestra—National Red at 10:15.

10:30

Art Kassel's Orchestra—National Red. Jimmy Griggs' Orchestra—National Blue. Bob Casper's Orchestra—National Red. Sandy de Santa's Orchestra—Canadian. Phil Harris's Orchestra—Columbia at 10:45.

11

Red Nichols' Orchestra—Mutual. Eddie Duchin's Orchestra—National Red. Joe Sudy's Orchestra—National Blue. Pasadena Civic Auditorium—Columbia.

11:30

Joe Saunders' Orchestra—Columbia. Orphe Nelson's Orchestra—Mutual. Bill Meyer's Orchestra—National Red. Charles Ruyvan, organist—National Blue. Midnight Matinee—KOL at 11:45.

Tomorrow

7
Top of the morning—KOMO. Sweethearts of the Air—National Blue. Morning devotionals—KVI. Sunrise Serenade—KIRO. Viennese Ensemble—National Blue at 7:15.

7:30

The Child Grows Up—National Blue. News Flash—KOL. Morning Reveries—KOMO. Breakfast News—KVI. Swing Serenade—National Blue at 7:45. Whilbills—KOL at 7:45. Coffee Time—CBH at 7:45.

8

Florence Hale—National Red. Maude Severn—National Blue. Fall Corn Tur—KOL. Cincinnati Conservatory—Canadian. Municipal Tete a Tete—National Red at 8:15.

8:30

Our Barn—National Blue. Music and American Youth—National Red. Army Band—Mutual. Modern Melodies—KVI.

9

The Boy and Girl Friend—Canadian and Mutual. News—KOL. The Captivators—Columbia. News—KJR. Ernest Colton, songs—Canadian at 9:15. Wonderful World—Mutual at 9:15.

9:30

Rex Battle's Orchestra—Canadian. National Farm and Home—National Blue. George Hall's Orchestra—Columbia. Black and White—Mutual. Land McIntire's Orchestra—National Red. Pat Club—Mutual at 9:45.

10

Woody Herman's Orchestra—National Red. Rio Grande—CBH. Orientales—Columbia. Varieties—KOL. Rhythmaires—Columbia at 10:15.

10:30

Cadets Quartette—National Blue. Lani McIntire's Orchestra—National Red. One Club Concert—Mutual. Club Matinee—Canadian. Buffalo Presents—Columbia.

11

Metropolitan Opera, Wagner's "Lohengrin" in German—National Blue and Canadian. Madison Ensemble—National Red. Hotel Orchestra—National Red.

11:30

Motor City Melodians—Columbia. Children's Symphony—Mutual.

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12
Golden Melodians—National Red. The Merry-makers—Columbia.

12:30
Bill Krenn's Orchestra—National Red. Waiters of the World—Columbia.

1
Ann Leaf, organist—Columbia. Music from Everyone—National Red. Loti and Murray—Columbia at 1:15. News Flash—KOL at 1:15.

1:30
Arthur Wright—Mutual. Walter Kelsey's Orchestra—National Red. Leo Kestner's Orchestra—Columbia at 1:45. Leo Freudenberger's Orchestra—Mutual at 1:45.

2
Top Hatters—National Red and Canadian. Sammy Kaye's Orchestra—Mutual. Story of Industry—Columbia. Rakov's Orchestra—National Blue at 2:15.

2:30
Hal Grayson's Orchestra—National Blue. Stamp Collectors—National Red. Norman Thomas, songs—Canadian. Will McNamee's Orchestra—Columbia. Scores and Snacks—Canadian at 2:45. Al Kahn's Orchestra—National Red at 2:45.

3
Spanish Revue—National Red. Leo Selby—Mutual. Music by Meakin—Canadian and National Blue. Columbia Chorus—Columbia. Uncle Frank's Matinee—KJR.

3:30
Sport Questions—National Red. Otto Thurn's Orchestra—Mutual. Synchroplex—Columbia. Press Radio News—National Blue. Jerry Livingston's Orchestra—Mutual at 3:45.

4
Germany Salutes Canada—Canadian. Message of Israel—National Blue. Kallenmeyer's Kindergarten—National Red. Lawrence Welk's Orchestra—Mutual. Swing Club—Columbia.

4:30
Bobby Grayson's Orchestra—National Blue. Alastair Cooke—National Red. Book Review—Canadian. Sunset Serenade—Columbia. Joe Sabin's Orchestra—Columbia at 4:45. Ozzie Williams' Orchestra—Columbia at 4:45.

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4:45—Dance Music. 7:00—Big Brother Al. 4:00—Monitor. 7:30—Santas Organ. 4:30—Birthdays. 4:45—Bend Sinus. 4:55—Art Farcy. 5:00—Musicals. 5:15—Music Lovers. 5:00—News.

Tomorrow
7:45—Wake and Sing. 10:15—Ramblers. 8:00—Salute. 10:30—Art Farcy. 8:15—News. 11:00—Star Parade. 8:30—Chronometer. 11:30—Concert Hour. 8:55—Notes and News. 12:30—Noon News. 9:00—Financial. 12:45—Musicals. 9:45—Ruth Kitting. 1:30—World Bookman. 10:00—Monitor. 1:30—Friendly Hour.

HOROSCOPE

"The stars incline, but do not compel."

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1938

According to astrology this is a fairly fortunate day in planetary direction. The morning is auspicious for seeking support for political aims or financial schemes. While there may be reluctance to ask aid and a feeling of possible failure, the stars promise success to those who negotiate loans or form new business organizations.

Women are well directed while this configuration prevails. They will be critical of suitors, but are likely to choose wisely after some hesitation.

Many who dance this winter will march or fly before 1938 ends, it is forecast. This indicates training or preparation for war rather than actual service.

This is a lucky day for shopkeepers. Modest and milliners will put spring modes bring on generous expenditures. A cold spring is foreseen. High winds and the possibility of a disastrous hurricane appear probable in May.

Persons whose birthdays it is have the augury of a year of success to which friends will contribute much. Business will bring recognition to many men and women.

Children born on this day are unusually strong in body, cheerful, courteous and make friends quickly. Combined Aquarius and Pious traits are fortunate. Clemente Philibert Delius, successful composer, was born on this day. 1938 Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Adeline Patil, famous singer, 1935, and Marjorie Zukor, Hungarian author, 1925. (Copyright, McClure Newspaper Syndicate)

URGES UNITY IN PROTEST

Saanich Seeks Union of Municipalities on New Relief Grant Cut

Immediate action through the executive of the Union of B.C. Municipalities to strongly protest the new cut in government relief allowances to municipalities was instituted by the Saanich Council last night.

Faced with an increase of \$15,680.97 in relief costs this year, Saanich took the lead in the move which is expected to be joined by all other cities and municipalities of the province.

The full effect of the new order, which resulted from the recently drafted Dominion-provincial agreement, was explained to the council by F. L. Kitto, relief officer, who explained the governments would undertake to contribute 80 per cent only in cases of employable persons so designated by the Employment Service of Canada.

Reeve Crouch suggested an immediate protest through the union executive, and was supported by the council.

Councillor E. C. Warren, Ward Two, wanted to add a rider that if the municipalities were forced to face the new issue, then they should throw the whole relief cost back on the province.

"Sure, I'll support you," from other members of the council, it was felt that such a suggestion should await the outcome of the union's meeting. Councillor Warren said he would move such a resolution if nothing resulted from the union's meeting.

The estimated total cost of relief to Saanich on the new rate would be increased to \$35,827.04 this year as compared with \$20,146.07 last year.

The monthly meeting of the Royal Bridge Junior Chapter, I.O.E., will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at headquarters in the Union Building, to be followed at 3 o'clock by the annual meeting which all members are requested to attend. Guests will also be welcomed.

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GOLDEN BANTAM CORN
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—Furniture, Fourth Floor at THE BAY



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—Notions, Street Floor at THE BAY

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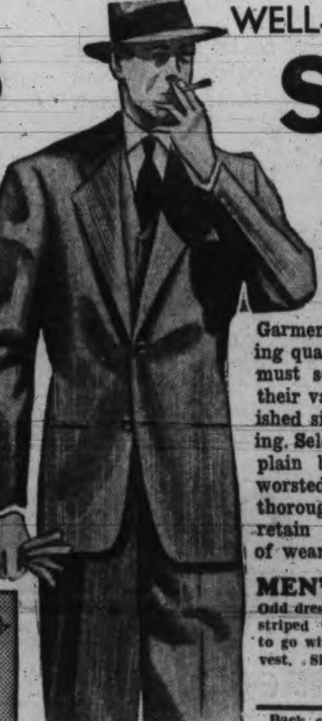
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VICTORIA, B.C., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1938

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Boston Power Beats Rangers In Overtime

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

WITH THEIR backs up against the wall, Victoria's Dominos came through with flying colors Wednesday night at the High School gym when they knocked over the touring Broadway Clowns for one of their sweetest basketball victories this season. The Dominos were desperate, they had lost six straight games, and they took the floor against the New York Negroes with the do-or-die glint in their eyes.

And don't forget that the local team won with only six players in uniform. Their line-up weakened through the loss of Bill Rogin and Alex Kinnear, the remainder of the boys had to bear down and carry the load. They proved themselves capable of the task against the Clowns, and it is to be hoped they continue to play up to that standard.

The game at least proved that even professional players can become flustered. With the last few minutes of play ticking away the Clowns were heaving long shots from all over the floor, and the majority of them were miles wide of the hoop. The Negro lads appeared to lack their usual class, a lot of their passes going astray, while their ball handling was not up to expectation. The Clowns, claimed they were tired out after their long trip from Port Alberni in the afternoon, and promised to make matters more interesting for the Dominos when the teams clash again on Saturday night.

A number of Victoria cage fans will travel to Nanaimo tonight to see the House of David and Clowns play. Friends of Albert (Red) Martin, Victoria boy with the bewhiskered Davids, are going north in full force for a chance to see him play in a game outside his home town. The Davids and Clowns should put up a great exhibition as both have lots of color. During the next month these two professional squads will battle in about 20 games on the Pacific Coast.

We noticed at Wednesday's game that a couple of the local players protested calls made by the referees. They want to remember that the British Columbia championship series is not far off and a little strict refereeing will not do them any harm. In these exhibition games against touring teams the referees are inclined to be a little lax, mainly through the fact that the visiting teams usually have only five men and can't afford to lose players on personnel. As a result, the Dominos become accustomed to having a certain amount of freedom that they find taken away from them when it comes to the B.C. series.

Remember when — James J. Corbett died at his New York home five years ago today. Hailed as the ring's master-strategist (Turn to Page 15, Col. 5)

Tommy Farr And Trainer Break

PLYMOUTH, Eng.—Tom Evans, veteran trainer who formerly conditioned Tommy Farr, confirmed his break with the British heavyweight champion as he arrived from New York today aboard the liner Ile de France. He asserted "Tommy threatened to hit me."

"As soon as he got to the top, he threw me over," Evans said. "Tom has no use now for old friends who helped him."

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Veteran Clapper Sinks Counter to Decide Struggle

16,091 See Bruins Win Hockey Thriller 3 to 2; Toronto Whips Maroons Amerks Get Tie

On the ice it's the punch that counts in the pinch and Boston Bruins have packed enough solid blows so far this season to repel the artful New York Rangers.

The pounding Bruins held a five-point lead over Rangers at the top of the National League's American division today despite Rangers' clever sparring and careful strategy. The Bruins struck twice in overtime last night for a 3 to 2 victory in New York over the club they are favored to face in Stanley Cup finals.

Rangers may reverse the result when the teams collide again at Boston Sunday. But for the present Bruins are safe in front and with only 11 games to play they seem destined to finish the schedule there. In six games with Rangers this season, each has won three times.

As Bruins extended the margin, Toronto Maple Leafs loomed larger as their probable opponents in league finals and the first round of cup playoffs. The Leafs won 2 to 1 over Maroons in Montreal to all but deaden the home team's chances of reaching a playoff berth. Chicago Black Hawks strengthened their hold on the third and last playoff place in the other section with a 3 to 3 tie against Americans that left them four points up on the trailing Detroit Red Wings.

KELLY GETS WINNER

Regis (Pep) Kelly, who came back to the Leafs this season after a winter with Chicago, scored Toronto's winning goal in the last five minutes. Johnny Gottselig was Chicago's hero, leveling the score against Amerks when only 11 seconds remained in the third period.

But the spotlight fell on the crucial test in Madison Square Garden, jammed with the season's largest crowd, 16,091 fans. It was another trial of Lester Patrick's system of smooth passing against the Bruin policy of setting up a rock-ribbed defence and striking boldly when the breaks appear.

Old Dit Clapper sank the winning goal in the extra period after Milt Schmidt scored for Bruins in the second and Gordon Pettinger gave them a 2 to 1 lead as the overtime began. Bryan Hextall came through with Rangers' second goal as the contest ended but that only served to establish the importance of Clapper's drive.

Schmidt's early thrust was matched by Mac Colville's in the third. When the teams began the extra session it seemed Pettinger was bound to be the star as he combined with Leroy Goldsworthy to make it 2 to 1. But the laurels were switched to Clapper's head after he broke away with Schmidt and Porky Dumart and Hextall narrowed the margin in the last seconds.

The Montreal affair was far from typical of Leaf-Maroon combats. It was unattractive enough that only about 4,000 fans turned out and Manager Conny Smythe, Bingo Kampman and Murray Armstrong of the Leafs stayed home.

There wasn't a goal or a penalty until the third period. Then Gordon Drillon, the league's leading scorer, dashed in to sink a pass from his runner-up, Syl Apps. A penalty to Bob Davidson gave Maroons an opening that produced a goal by Jimmy Ward and set the stage for Kelly's winning shot. He sprinted in from the wing to bat the puck home as Nick Metz's shot bounded from Goalie Bill Beveridge's chest.

JOE JERVA STARS

Joe Jerva was a determined batter on Amerks' behalf at Chicago. He assisted in all his team's goals, the first by Johnny Sorrell in the opening session, the second

HOCKEY STANDINGS										
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Canadian Division										
	W	L	D	P	A	G	P	A	G	P
Toronto	16	10	8	110	51	44				
Canadiens	14	14	8	95	98	36				
Americans	12	19	9	70	53	33				
Maroons	10	22	4	71	101	24				
American Division										
	W	L	D	P	A	G	P	A	G	P
Boston	24	9	4	104	70	52				
Rangers	21	10	5	113	66	47				
Chicago	19	12	8	75	106	29				
Detroit	8	20	9	73	106	25				
COAST LEAGUE										
	W	L	D	P	A	G	P	A	G	P
Seattle	15	11	8	85	70	38				
Vancouver	16	16	5	72	82	37				
Portland	12	16	8	77	72	32				
Spokane	12	13	5	61	64	31				

LEAGUE SOCCER ON TOMORROW

First Division Elevens Engage in Pair of Matches

First division soccer teams will resume play tomorrow afternoon in the second-half race for the Leeming Cup with a pair of matches.

Victoria, first-half winners, and undefeated in league play this season, will engage the Garrison at Heywood Avenue with J. C. Dowds as referee. At the Athletic Park the Saanich Thistles and Victoria City will meet with W. Cull as referee.

Play will start at 2.45. Teams follow: Victoria City—Rowe, McConnell, Moore, C. Robbins, G. Robbins, Moore, Cummins, Moore, Medler, Blakemore, Glancy, J. Robbins and Kelman.

Saanich Thistles—Hornsby, Essler, Carmichael, Duncan, McMillan, Williams, Leggett, A. Speller, Hope, McCaig, Alexander, M. Speller, Wallace, L. Speller, Waters and Armitage. Victoria West—T. Restell, J. Okell, Bell, Sage, Loranidin, R. Barnes, C. Restell, G. Barnes, R. Okell, Robinson, Watt, Morgan and Brown.

BOXING Miami Beach, Fla.—Steve Carr, 186 Meredien, Conn., and Jack Turner, 216, Tulsa, Okla., drew (10).

Wilmington, Del.—Mickey Duca, 138, Paulsboro, N.J., and Freddy (Ged) Cochrane, 141½, Elizabeth, N.J., drew (8).

English Football Lead May Change

Race For First Division Honors Tightens; Brentford Meets Derby

LONDON—Stirring midweek upsets have tightened the race for the English Football League championship. Arsenal defeated Manchester City, 2 to 1, in the northern city Wednesday to go into a tie with Wolverhampton Wanderers in second place, one point behind Brentford, pace setters with 35 points.

While the Gunners advanced, Brentford lost 1 to 0 at Sunderland and the Wanderers were whiffed 4 to 1 at home by Huddersfield Town.

Following protracted arguments Stoke City directors have refused to place Stanley Matthews, their international outside right, on the transfer list. The decision means the brilliant winger must fulfill his contract with the Midland club until the end of the season. He says he is not happy at Stoke.

Brentford should retain its advantage with Derby County as visitor, tomorrow. Last year at Griffin Park the County was defeated 6 to 2. Arsenal is at home to Chelsea in the great London battle and the Pensioners will field the same team that defeated Portsmouth 3 to 1 last week-end for the first victory in a week.

OTHER TOP MATCHES

Wolverhampton Wanderers are

High and Hot



Harris Legg sails through a flaming hoop and over a half dozen barrels in spectacular jump in the Silver Skates Carnival at Madison Square Garden.

Thomas-Adamick In Ring Bout Tonight

Young Heavyweights Scrap For Right to Tackle Louis in April

NEW YORK—At a late hour today, nobody had been willing to hazard a guess on the purpose, not to mention the outcome of tonight's 10-round duel between Jimmy Adamick, the kid from Detroit, and bouncing Harry Thomas.

The whole affair had everybody so puzzled many intended to go and see for themselves, the expectation being around \$25,000 worth would turn up at Madison Square Garden. The fact old Doc Kearns, the bogy man of boxing, was going to be in Adamick's corner undoubtedly added to the popular interest.

Ever since the strident voice of

the doctor was heard clear from Detroit proclaiming the unqualified greatness of his newest protégé, the ears of those closest to boxing have been perked up. It was ordained from the first Kearns and Adamick would make their way east eventually, and here they are.

The winner has been "signed" to give Joe Louis a tune-up in April. The only attraction in a Thomas-Louis classic, however, would be to see whether Joe could knock Harry down more times than Schmeling did, which was eight by unofficial count.

SCHMELING MATCHED

BERLIN—Max Schmeling's third warm-up bout before meeting heavyweight champion Joe Louis for the title in the United States this summer will be with Steve Rudas at Hamburg, April 19. Max Machon, Schmeling's trainer, announced yesterday.

Contracts for the bout will be signed this week-end.

In New York, Promoter Mike Jacobs exploded in the accepted fashion at the news.

"I'll send that fellow a cable telling him a few things," breathed Mike. "I want him to be in New York by April 15 to start getting himself in shape for Joe Louis in June. If Schmeling wants to fight Rudas in March that's O.K., but not in April."

VANCOUVER IN SHUTOUT WIN

Lions Blank Portland 3 to 0 in Rough Coast Hockey League Game

PORTLAND—The Vancouver Lions blanked the Portland Buckaroos 3 to 0 in a rough Pacific Coast Hockey League game last night.

Vancouver tallied twice in the first period and again in the third, each time unassisted.

SUMMARY

First period: 1—Vancouver, Palm (unassisted), 3.06. 2—Vancouver, O'Neill (unassisted), 14.10. Penalties: Frew, Oulette.

Second period: No scoring. Penalties: Palm, Mullen, Conn, Besler and Arnott.

Third period: 3—Vancouver, Hutton (unassisted), 19.30. Penalties: Frew, Conn, Oulette (5), Sutherland, Scharfe, and Lennon (5).

OUR MAIL BAG

"THE MAN TO WATCH" To the Sports Editor:—In your edition of February 16, C. S. Rodway stated that "Rogin's value was realized so much that they even broadcast over CFCT that Rogin was the man to watch."

This statement, as written, conveys the suggestion that I had materially aided the enemy by advising them that Rogin was the local player for them to tie up during the game.

During an interview with the Shamrock manager, Muddy Ruhl on our station Friday last before the contest, I asked him how his team intended to defeat the Dominos. He stated: "We have been advised by Vancouver teams that Rogin is the man to watch." I afterwards repeated Ruhl's statement on my broadcast of the game.

I think that this was what Mr. Rodway meant in his letter, but it could be misconstrued very easily.

DUKE McLEOD.

Matmen Booked For Tomorrow

Two New Faces Will Appear On Tillicum Gym Wrestling Card

LaVerne Baxter, Washington matman, whose rugged performance on the Pacific coast wrestling battlefield have given him a bad man reputation, will return to the Tillicum gym tomorrow night to meet Rusty Westcott, Honolulu.

They are booked to grapple in the feature event over eight 10-minute rounds.

Two new grapplers in the persons of Alex Kasaboski, the latest import from Poland, and Stanley Mysajek, another foreigner, will appear on the card in the semi-main go over six 10-minute rounds.

Reggie Hopkins and Bill Steen of Mount Stephen Athletic Club wrestling fame, are booked for the special event. These two local lads generally provide an entertaining bout. They are scheduled to fight six six-minute rounds. A pair of local midweights will grapple in the opener at 8.45.

Camden, N.J.—Everett Marshall, 221, Denver, Colo., defeated Cliff Olsen, 215, St. Paul, (Olsen disqualified after each won one fall).

Hartford, Conn.—Danno O'Mahoney, 228, Ireland, defeated Al Mercer, 212, Springfield, Mass., two of three falls.

Barnard Rugby Cup Play-off Tomorrow

J.B.A.A. to Meet Wanderers in Senior A Classic at Macdonald Park

Defeated twice by their versatile opponents for the play-off match, but still holding the nod on general performance, Bert Buller's J.B.A.A. ruggers will hurl themselves on the Oak Bay Wanderers at Macdonald Park tomorrow.

While the match itself is expected to be the classic of the season, there is the little matter of a bit of silverware at stake and the right to play the Vancouver Rowing Club for provincial honors.

The oarsmen, present holders of the Barnard Cup, had been quoting a nifty price for the mug up until the time they met the Wanderers in the second half of the recently concluded schedule. The pride of Oak Bay threw a spike in the rowing men in two straight victories.

But, in spite of this, the oarsmen still have the edge in tomorrow's game, providing they play the kind of rugby which won them the first half honors. The Wanderers have been muttering dire threats to the Bays under their collective breath this week and certainly won't be a set-up for the knock-over the Bays plan to dish out.

SENIOR B GAME While the mighty men of the

Lane and Waddell In Tourney Final

Bill Rogin Is En Route East

Any last hope of getting Bill Rogin to remain in Victoria and return to the lineup of the Dominos basketball team faded out today when the eastern star boarded the afternoon boat for Vancouver, en route to his home in Chatham, Ont.

Before his departure Rogin stated he was sorry to leave the city and all the friends he had made during his stay of several months, but maintained the silence over his reasons for quitting the team.

TABLE TENNIS TEAMS IN DRAW

Celluttes and Young's Cafe Play to Tie in Second Division

Young's Cafe and Celluttes played to a 5 to 5 draw; Central Cleaners defeated Mackays 6 to 4; Stevensons won easily from Swingers 8 to 2, and the Slashers blanked Hudson's Bay 10 to 0 in second division table tennis matches played last night.

Scores follow: Stevensons—Dawson 2, Lore 1, Bannister 2, Stevenson 2, Bannister and Dawson 0, Lore and Stevenson 1. Swingers—S. O'Connell 6, Minnie 1, R. O'Connell 0, Ludbrook 0, S. O'Connell and Minnie 1, R. O'Connell and Ludbrook 0. Slashers—Robinson 2, Corcoran 2, Erickson 2, Cliff 2, Robinson and Cliff 1, Corcoran and Erickson 1. Hudson's Bay—Lashmar 0, Horne 0, Craig 0, Sheddin 0, Horne and Craig 0, Lashmar and Sheddin 0. Young's Cafe—Kenny 2, Kershaw 0, Ricketts 1, Fraser 1, Kenny and Kershaw 1, Ricketts and Fraser 0. Celluttes—Mrs. Greenwood 1, Mrs. Butler 1, Mrs. Hocking 2, Mrs. Grogan 0, Butler and Hocking 0, Greenwood and Grogan 1. Mackays—T. Mackay 2, M. Mackay 1, Burton 0, D. Mackay 0, Burton and D. Mackay 0, T. Mackay and M. Mackay 1. Central Cleaners—Prior 0, Smith 1, Ricketts 2, Elworthy 2, Prior and Smith 1, Ricketts and Elworthy 1.

Y TEAMS TO SEATTLE Y.M.C.A. badminton and volleyball teams will invade Seattle, February 26 to take part in tournaments with the best teams in the Pacific Northwest. All Slucomb, J. White, I. Temple, D. Martin, Peggy Cheer, Mabel Jeune and Audrey McNaughton will represent the local Y shuttlers while the volleyball team will consist of six players not yet selected.

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George Lane, defending champion, and Dave Waddell will meet tomorrow night for the men's singles title, as the Victoria Badminton Club finals are played, starting at 7.30. Semi-finals in all divisions were run off last night.

Lane marked up two straight-set victories, defeating Grant 15-3, 15-0 and Don Fish 15-3, 15-0. In the quarters Waddell won from White 15-12, 15-4 and then took a thrilling three-set duel from Roy Hurdie in the semis 15-10, 9-15, 15-5.

Mrs. Heywood and Miss Dunnell will battle it out for the women's singles crown. In the semi-finals the former won from Miss Rice-Jones 11-3, 11-8, while Miss Dunnell eliminated Miss Gilman 11-6, 11-3.

Last night's results follow: **MEN'S SINGLES** Semi-finals. Lane won from Grant, 15-3, 15-0. Fish won from Clarke, by default. Waddell won from White, 15-12, 15-4. Hurdie won from Carson, 15-0, 15-2.

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Typographical W.A. Has Birthday

The twelfth annual banquet of the Woman's Auxiliary No. 65 to the local Typographical Union was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. E. Skett, 2722 Lee Avenue. The table was

prettily decorated in the auxiliary colors, the centerpiece being a lovely cluster of blue and gold spring flowers and tall yellow tapers in silver holders. The handsome birthday cake, which was made and donated by Mrs. F. H. Neelands, occupied the place of honor with its 12 lighted candles. Mrs. Neelands, the president, acted as chairman for the eve-

ning. After the toast to the King, Mrs. A. E. Johnson proposed the toast to the Woman's International Auxiliary, responded to by Mrs. P. J. Woodley. Mrs. J. F. Hough proposed the toast to the local Typographical Union, to which Mrs. W. R. Dunn replied, and the toast to No. 65 was proposed by Mrs. A. C. Chislett, to which Mrs. M. Coldwell responded.

Mrs. Neelands presented each of her officers with a dainty hand-made handkerchief, and she received a lovely corsage bouquet. Bridge followed. Mrs. Arnold Johnson obtained first prize, Mrs. J. F. Hough, second; Mrs. A. E. Johnson was awarded the consolation.

Thanks to the hostess and committee for a most enjoyable affair and to the Times and Colonist for unfailing courtesy, brought to a close the 12th anniversary of the organization.

ST. MARK'S A.Y.P.A.

A business meeting of St. Mark's A.Y.P.A. was held Wednesday evening, with 13 members present. On Tuesday, February 22, at 8, in the Cathedral, there will be a Synod service, to which young people are especially invited. On Wednesday, February 23, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, a meeting of interest to the organization is being held. Final preparations were made for the rally which commences at 3 p.m., Sunday, February 27, at St. Mark's Church. The next executive meeting will be held at the home of C. A. Bruce, Monday, February 21.

Metal flooring with small monel disks spot-welded on it is a new safety device for kitchens on ships and trains, and for factory floors likely to become wet and slippery.

Dr. J. D. Hunter Solarium Head Chosen President of Board at Executive Meeting

The new executive of Queen Alexandra Solarium held its first meeting yesterday and elected Dr. J. D. Hunter, M.P.P., as president of the board of directors, succeeding Charles H. French, who has been acting president since the resignation of J. W. Hudson last fall.

Hugh Allan was chosen vice-president and E. W. McMullen honorary treasurer. The honorary officers are: President, Lieutenant-Governor E. W. Hamber; vice-presidents, Mrs. E. W. Hamber, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Hon. G. M. Weir and Hon. F. M. MacPherson.

Directors are: Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mrs. William Peden, Mrs. D. J. Mugford, C. H. French, Charles Williams, Dr. Richard Felton, Dr. J. D. Hunter, Dr. H. E. Young, E. W. McMullen, W. B. Lanigan, J. W. Hudson, Herbert Anson, M.P.P.; Col. F. A. Lindsay, Hugh Allan, S. J. Drake and Ald. J. A. Worthington.

Alexis Martin was named honorary solicitor and Reginald Genn auditor.

Deep appreciation was expressed for the services of Charles Williams who resigned as honorary treasurer after 11 years in the office.

NANAIMO DEATH

NANAIMO (CP) — Herman Hunter, Nanaimo contractor and resident here for the last 33 years,

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(From The Times Files)

Henceforth, motor owners who have not taken out 1913 licenses will be prosecuted. A decree to this effect has been issued by Colin Campbell, superintendent of the Provincial Police Force.

A. T. Goward this morning stated that in the near future, the car service to Uplands will be materially extended. The traffic over the British Columbia Electric Railway Company's lines during February has been much better than that of January to date.

Paying her second visit to Victoria within the past three years, the British windjammer Dumfries-shire, dropped anchor in the Royal Roads early this morning after a 109 days voyage from Rio de Janeiro.

The Senators, Victoria's professional hockey team, will meet the New Westminster Royals in tonight's hockey feature at New Westminster. Manager Lester Patrick is sure that the Victoria septette will come out ahead and practically clinch the Coast League title.

was found dead on the rear steps of his Kennedy Street home last night. Death was believed due to heart failure.

He was 62 years old and came here from Spencerville, Ont., in 1905.

Surviving are a widow here and a brother in Ontario.

Drive Secures Fifty Members Campaign Boosts Junior Chamber's Roll-call to 130

Following a concerted drive in Victoria's business centre for new members who will take active participation in the functions of the organization, the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce's roll call rose from 80 to 130, Norman Foster, secretary reported yesterday.

The new members will be introduced at a dinner meeting to be held in the Hudson's Bay dining room next Monday evening at 6.15. An entertainment programme has been arranged for the evening, and addresses will be given by Logan Mayhew and George I. Warren, general secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Mayhew will speak on his recent trip to the Antipodes and Mr. Warren will give a short talk on the relation of the junior and seniors boards.

Paul Brothers Win Ring Bouts

LONDON — The punching Pauls swung into action once more last night — and won, as usual.

Canada's heavyweight brothers from Richdale, Alta., added to their growing reputations when Danny Paul defeated Archie Norman of Harrow on a technical knockout in the third round, and Paeky Paul took a six-round decision over Dick Allen of Plymouth.

ENGLISH FOOTBALL LEAD MAY CHANGE

(Continued from Page 11)

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

GLASGOW — The Scottish Football League schedule enters its sixth month, tomorrow, with championship-minded and relegation-threatened teams primed for final bursts that may change the league picture when the campaign closes April 30.

At this stage, Celtic is favored for the championship and Morton expected to return to the second division. The Celts have been "shooting the works" since mid-December. The last-place Morton, in major company a year, hasn't won a match since January 3.

Celtic's star-studded roster has just about everything that labels a club "great." Its forward line packs a vicious offensive, while its defence has been beaten only 30 times in league games this season.

Defeated 2 to 0 at Arbroath, October 9, Celtic has lost only two points in its last 15 games—both times drawing, 1 to 1. Its goal-scoring records since that date show 58 for and 11 against.

Three points ahead of Hearts, the Celts play St. Johnstone at Perth this week-end, while the Edinburgh team plays in Glasgow against Clyde. Bracketed in third position, Falkirk and Rangers have tough propositions. Falkirk entertains Motherwell,

erstwhile leader, and the light blues travel to Hamilton. Morton's chances of adding two points are not promising this week-end. The team plays at Aberdeen, strong North of Scotland representative, Kilmarnock, just out of the relegation area, meets Queen's Park at Glasgow. Both these clubs have 23 points, two more than Clyde.

Pace-setter of the circuit in the early stages of the campaign, Dundee, now in twelfth position, meets Partick Thistle in the other Glasgow contest. Other matches bring together Hibernians and Third Lanark; Queen of South and Arbroath, and St. Mirren and Ayr.

In second division warfare, the league-leading Raith Rovers play at Montrose, and East Fife, six points behind, is at home to Brechin City.

ST. MARY'S A.Y.P.A.

At St. Mary's A.Y.P.A. on Wednesday, February 16, several of the members gave short talks on a special trip, which each had experienced: Nora Burke, Canadian Rockies; Lucille Mackay, Moran State Park; Jack Sutton, Mt. Rainier; Charlie Smith, a tramp from Yonbou to Nitinat Lake; Norman Williams, traveling on a cattle train; Philip Salmon, a trip to Alaska; Dudley Keeler, Washington, Ore.; Archdeacon Nunns, Ireland and Scotland. A short business meeting followed. Owing to the dance on Friday, February 25, there will be no meeting next Wednesday.

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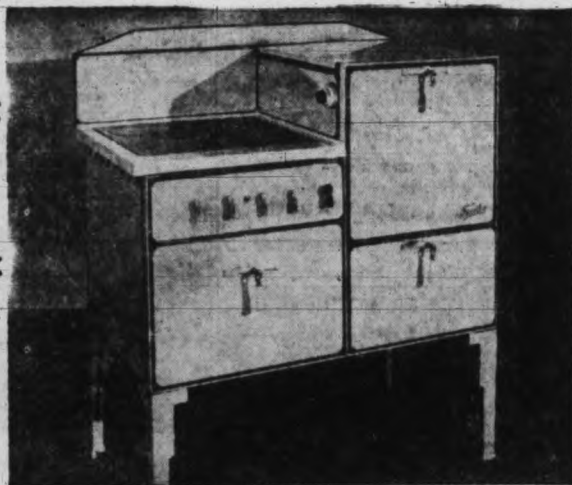
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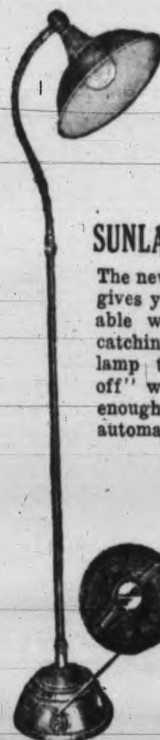


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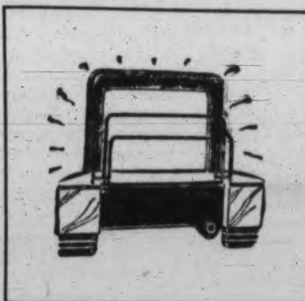
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CITY REVENUES SHOW BIG GAIN

Receipts From Sources Other Than Taxation Over \$15,000 Above Estimate

Exceptional collections of revenue from sources other than taxation last year brought to the city a sum over \$15,000 above the estimate, it is shown by figures compiled for budget purposes at the City Hall.

Without taking into consideration the amount by which arrears collections exceeded the annual shortage on current collections, receipt figures showed virtually identical totals in estimate and actual collection. In the estimate \$15,000 was marked for that purpose.

Actually the favorable balance to the city from that source was far higher than the estimate, further enhancing the surplus. An increase of over \$2,000 was shown in revenue from the fire department. The estimated receipts for that department last year were \$11,875. Actual collections amounted to \$13,925.75. In view of the fact Victoria will provide only partial protection for Oak Bay this year, the estimate for 1938 is \$3,900.

Waterworks also showed a decided surplus. On the Sooke system estimated receipts were fixed last year at \$303,000. Collections were \$307,525.96. For Goldstream the estimate was \$85,500 and the collections \$88,259.

Miscellaneous receipts were up nearly \$3,000 and the complete total collections from sources other than taxation amounted to \$726,976.48. This year the estimate has been placed tentatively at \$734,626.54. The figure will be subject to revision when the council reaches that item in its budget consideration.

Veterans Hear Of Provincial Action

Reports on the annual meeting of the Provincial Command were tendered at last night's general meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada.

The provincial reports showed that five resolutions in the interests of the disabled veterans' movement, were drawn up and approved and will be forwarded to the Dominion Command at Ottawa for action.

A social evening will be held this evening when the club will host to members of the Royal Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes. The Order will officially welcome C. Butler, a member, who recently returned to Victoria from Singapore. It will start at 8.

Voice Pupils To Appear in Show

On March 11, in the Empress Hotel ballroom, an interesting annual musical event will take place, when Stanley Shale, A.R.A.M., will present his pupils and artist pupils in recital, together with students from the vocal and elocution department of his school.

The Dominion Academy of Music bears an enviable reputation in musical circles of the city and there will be a wide interest and keen anticipation over the forthcoming concert.

Many names already well known to Victoria music-lovers will appear on the program, as well as some who are new, but bear great promise for a musical future.

Overnight Entries At Santa Anita

"Palestine and the Near East, Who Shall Possess It?" will be the subject of E. E. Richards' address, to be given under the auspices of the British-Israel World Federation, on Monday evening at 8, in the Campbell Building, Douglas Street. Mr. Richards will discuss the question of Palestine and the whole theatre of the Near East, with its natural gateways, vast extent, and coming glory as the centre of the millennial earth. Lantern slides will be used.

Orville Robertson, executive director of the Family Society of Seattle, will address the annual meeting of the Friendly Help Welfare Association to be held in the Princess Louise Room, Empress Hotel, on Thursday evening, February 24 at 8. His subject will be "The Place of the Family Agency in the Community."

Members of the association and others interested are invited to this meeting. At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the Friendly Help Welfare Association, it was reported that there was a large increase in requests for help from the association during January, many of the requests being for assistance with personal problems and domestic difficulties, rather than application for financial aid.

A light truck owned by B. Louis, Hillside Avenue, slipped its brakes while parked on Government Street yesterday and went over a small bank into a pile of lumber, according to a city police report. The machine was reported undamaged and there was no one in it at the time of the accident.

TOWN TOPICS

The provincial government today collected \$13,040, in license fees from timber holders whose licenses were reinstated.

A permit was issued today for the construction of a \$2,200 five-room single family dwelling for Mrs. F. Stanton at 1014 Rockland Avenue, by R. H. Harrison.

The Federated Association of Letter Carriers, Branch No. 11, will hold its annual banquet in Spencer's dining-room tomorrow evening at 7. All members are requested to attend.

The trade of aviation mechanic, described as including the construction, maintenance and repair of aircraft, today was added to the schedule of trades, coming under the Provincial Apprenticeship Act.

R. R. Burns, M.P.P. for Trail, registered at the Empress Hotel today. He came down to consult the government on business connected with his constituency. R. C. Crone, also of Trail, registered at the hotel with Mr. Burns.

A new agreement with the city and township of Chilliwack for provincial police service was signed by the government today. It reduces the municipal cost from \$5,135 to \$5,000, reallocating the contributions of the city and township taxpayers.

A talk on "Visual Telegraphy" was given by James Wood at the meeting of the Victoria High School Science Club Thursday. Denham Alton gave a talk on "Steam Engines," and Charles Bates on "Shotguns." At the meeting next Thursday radio transmitting and receiving will be discussed.

Twenty-four boys were present at the weekly meeting of the First Tillamook Boy Scout Troop Monday. The Wolf Patrol was assigned to patrol duty. Following inspection, first-aid instruction was given, and kips games were played. The Owl Patrol won the most points and captured the honor-pennant for the week.

A successful bridge tea was held in the dining-room of David Spencer Ltd., yesterday afternoon by the W.A. to the Solarium, 21 tables of players being present as well as a large number of tea guests. The conveners were Mrs. R. McKean and Mrs. Walter Luney. Mrs. D. J. Mugford, the president, assisting in welcoming the players and tea guests.

Frank Burton, president of the Victoria Real Estate Board, announced that three new members had joined at a luncheon meeting in Spencer's dining-room this afternoon. They were Leeming Scollard Ltd., Victoria, active member, and J. H. Whitmore and Co. Ltd., Duncan, and Salt Spring Lands Ltd., Ganges, Salt Spring Island, affiliated members.

The Victoria Palace 136, Princess of Syracuse, held their second bi-monthly meeting at the K. of P. Hall Thursday evening. The meeting was well attended and five candidates were initiated into the order. In the future the meeting nights will be the first and third Tuesdays of the month. A number of the members of the Knights of Pythias were in attendance.

Ward 2 Saanich Liberal Association will meet in St. Mark's Hall, Boleskine Road, at 8 Monday night. Speakers for the evening will be W. T. Straith, M.P.P., and Norman Whittaker, Speaker of the provincial House. Mr. Straith will tell his experiences during a visit to China last summer, illustrating his talk with lantern slides. Refreshments will be served.

A fine of \$50 or seven days was imposed on Clifford W. Bell when he pleaded guilty in the City Police Court this morning to a charge of driving to the common danger. The charge followed an accident on February 13 when the accused struck a bicycle ridden by Percy Morrell. Mr. Morrell is still in the Jubilee Hospital. Police testified Bell's car skidded 88 feet and the bicycle was dragged 97 feet.

The Council of the British Columbia Optometric Association will hold a meeting in the Empress Hotel on Saturday. The Save Your Vision Week—February 19 to March 5—will come up for discussion, when suitable arrangements will be made to bring British Columbia into line with the rest of the North American Continent in this effort. The regular business of the council will also be transacted.

Provincial appointments today included R. R. Dillabough of Avola and Milo Fournier of Bella Coola to be justices of the peace; W. Harry Boothroyd, government agent at Alberni, to be a clerk of the peace; Dr. C. A. Armstrong of Port Simpson, to be medical health officer and school inspector for the district, replacing Dr. A. E. Perry, and W. O. Fulton, Prince Rupert barrister, to sit on the Prince Rupert General Hospital board of management, replacing F. S. Walton.

Escape Attempt Is Frustrated

Detective David Donaldson Recaptures Chinaman Fleeing Custody of R.C.M.P.

An attempt by a Chinese held by the R.C.M.P. to escape from custody while being fingerprinted at city police headquarters yesterday morning was speedily frustrated by Detective David Donaldson who recaptured him after a chase down Fisgard Street.

The attempt was made shortly before 11 while Detective Donaldson was fingerprinting two men who are awaiting trial on narcotic charges.

The men had been released from custody of the city jail to the R.C.M.P. to permit them to be fingerprinted.

During the momentary absence of the Mounted Police officer one of the Orientals walked out of the fingerprint office door and in a few seconds was outside the headquarters building.

Detective Donaldson noticed his absence within a few seconds. He rushed to the door of the fingerprint office, locked it to keep the other man inside, then ran outside the building to see the Chinaman fleeing down Fisgard Street toward Government Street. Detective Donaldson, a member of the police track team, took after him and before he had reached the corner had recaptured him.

PENSION PLAN UNDER REVIEW

Finance Committee of City Calls For Report on Superannuation

Superannuation matters are now under consideration by the city's finance committee, but no statement on the outcome of those deliberations will be made until a report on the question is handed down, Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan, chairman, stated today.

While it was understood attention had been given to the grouping of employees in the category either on the verge of the superannuation age or already in it, the alderman declared himself unwilling to discuss the issue publicly.

In certain circles it was believed those eligible for pensions would be invited to avail themselves of the benefits of the retiring allowance, with replacement being made from their respective departments.

Preparation of the report, reception of which will precede a public statement, is expected to take several weeks.

New Drivers' Rules Debated

T. L. Church Offers Bill in Commons; Lapointe Drafting Measure

OTTAWA (CP)—A national attack on drunk drivers and highway traffic killers was proposed in the House of Commons Thursday by T. L. Church, Conservative, Toronto-Broadview, through far-reaching amendments to the Criminal Code.

Suspension of a hit-and-run driver's license for six months, a year in jail for racing on a highway or cutting in and out of traffic, highway killers to be barred from driving for two years, no drivers' licenses for anyone under 18 years of age, confiscation of cars for some offences and rewording of sections dealing with drunk driving, were some of the provisions of a bill sponsored by the veteran Toronto member.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, moved adjournment of the debate on the bill to give him time to study its terms before presenting a government measure. He said the government bill would incorporate many changes in the Criminal Code, some of them dealing with automobile traffic.

Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, urged use of the criminal code in attacking Canada's highway traffic problems.

Ship Safe After Her Call For Aid

BOSTON (AP)—A radiogram from the disabled steamship Azalea City that she was in no immediate danger today allayed fears for the safety of the vessel and 51 persons aboard, after the coast guard cutter Tahoe had been ordered off ice patrol to her assistance, 300 miles away. Coast guard officials directed the Tahoe to return.

The Azalea City operates between Gulf of Mexico ports and Europe.

OBITUARIES

RONALD A. CROSS

Funeral services for Ronald A. Cross, who was drowned yesterday morning in the Inner Harbor, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3.45 from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn will officiate and interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ELIZABETH PATRICIA HAMILTON

Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn conducted the private funeral services this morning at Hayward's Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Elizabeth Patricia Hamilton. Interment was in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ROBERT A. MOBIUS

Robert A. Mobius of 1109 Douglas Street passed away this morning in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, aged 70 years. He had been a resident of Canada for 40 years, and of Victoria for nine.

Mr. Mobius was well known as a phenologist. He was also a strong supporter of the Henry George Society for single-tax, and as far back as 1896 represented California at the convention held in Wilmington, Delaware, on this subject. He is survived by his widow. A funeral service will be held in McCall Brothers' Funeral Home on Monday afternoon at 3.30, after which cremation will take place in Royal Oak Crematorium.

CHRISTOPHER W. HOLLYER

This morning at St. Joseph's Hospital, the death occurred of Christopher William Hollyer, aged 71 years, of 708 Suffolk Street. A native of London, England, he had been a resident of Victoria for 42 years, and is survived by relatives in England. Mr. Hollyer was a former sergeant-major in the Fifth Regiment and also held the rank of sergeant-major in A Company, Royal Canadian Regiment, special service from 1900 to 1901. The remains are resting at the Thompson Funeral Home, where the funeral will take place on Monday afternoon, at 2.30. Rev. Robert Connell will conduct the service, and interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

TRAVELERS TO GATHER HERE

Members of Order From Northwest to Convene in Victoria May 20

Victoria will be the scene early this summer of the 40th annual convention of the Grand Council for Oregon, Washington and British Columbia of the United Commercial Travelers of America. The dates for the meeting have been set as May 20 and 21.

Officers of Victoria Council No. 434 of the order believe many of the 300 delegates expected from the mainland of the province and south of the border will stay over for the city's Victoria Day celebrations May 24.

The last time the council met in Victoria was in 1927, and that convention is remembered in the Pacific Northwest as one of the most successful ever held.

T. B. Veitch is senior counsel of the order here.

Water Bill Not New Tenant's Liability

On entering premises in the city tenants are not liable for payment of water bills in arrears, but do, under certain circumstances, face the possibility of being without water until such accounts are paid, Mayor Andrew McGavin said today.

The mayor made the explanation to correct an impression that the tenants were responsible for bills contracted by predecessors.

In cases in which the city department has not been advised of changes in addresses, and where prior tenants have left accounts outstanding, the amount of the arrears is added to the new tenant's bill. He is not, however, responsible for payment. Responsibility rests with the prior tenant or the owner. Should the department be unable to secure satisfaction from the prior tenant, the water can be shut off on premises for which the bill is owing. The city then has the right to collect the arrears from the landlord under existing regulations.

In certain cases new tenants before taking possession should make arrangements with landlords to meet arrears payments, but they are not responsible.

LONDON (AP)—The 6,140-ton Italian steamer Pietro Campanella reported all was well today after a previous radio message which Lloyd's said indicated the ship was in distress. The vessel, bound from Italy for Danzig, in the second message advised she had not sent a distress message, only a regular call giving her position.

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LARGE PARTY COMING HERE

Olympic Peninsula Hotelmen in City Tomorrow

Publicity Commissioner George I. Warren was busy today on last-minute preparations for the sixth annual invasion of members of the Olympic Peninsula Resort and Hotel Association tomorrow.

Nearly 120 persons from all parts of Washington and Oregon will be in the party, which will arrive at 8.30 in the morning by the Ss. Iroquois. They will go immediately to the Empress Hotel for registration, and will have the morning free, before assembling at the Dominion Hotel for luncheon, to be presided over by W. C. Thornley, president of the association.

In the evening a banquet will be given at the Beach Hotel by the mayor and aldermen and the directors of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau. G. H. Stevens president of the Bureau, will preside. Following dinner the party will go to the Crystal Garden for dancing.

Following breakfast at the Empress Hotel Sunday morning the visitors will board the Iroquois for the return trip.

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Among the more prominent people in the party will be Hon. Earl Snell, Secretary of State for the State of Oregon, and Mrs. Snell; Ross Finnegan of Portland, president of the Oregon State Hotel Association, and Mrs. Finnegan; C. E. Johns of Olympia, secretary of the Washington State Progress Commission, and Mrs. Johns; C. V. LaFarge of the Puget Sound Navigation Company, and Mrs. LaFarge; Lacy Murrow, director of highways for the State of Washington, and Mrs. Murrow; J. E. Norton, president of the Oregon Coast Highway Association; Senator Edward W. Miller of Oregon, and Mrs. Miller; Capt. and Mrs. J. Howard Payne, and Mrs. Charles E. Peabody.

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HONOR JUSTICE AT BAR DINNER

Victoria Bar Association Hosts to Mr. Justice O'Halloran

Mr. Justice C. H. O'Halloran, new member of the Court of Appeal, was honored by the Victoria Bar Association at a dinner at the Union Club last night.

A. D. Crease, president of the association, occupied the chair and Magistrate Henry C. Hall, E. V. Finland, M.P.P. for Esquimalt, and H. A. Maclean, K.C. spoke briefly. They expressed gratification over the appointment of a Victoria man to the important post, extended to him the bar association's congratulations and good wishes for success in his future activities.

Mr. Justice O'Halloran responded fittingly, completing his remarks with humorous anecdotes regarding the bar and the bench.

Judge H. H. Shandley also attended the function.

Scots' Regiment To Be Inspected

Col. H. C. Greer, temporary district officer commanding M.D. 11, will make the annual general inspection of the First Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment, at the Armories Monday night at 8.

Although the custom has not been carried out annually, the troop will this year march parading the colors and will be inspected in all departments, which includes drill, light machine-gun, signalling, stretcher-bearers and musketry. The organization and

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KINSMEN MARK ANNIVERSARY

Victoria Club Celebrates Birthday With Party at Spencer's

Seventeen years ago Kinsmen first began in Canada and the Victoria Kinsmen Club celebrated this anniversary as well as the birthday of the club at a banquet and entertainment in Spencer's dining-room yesterday evening.

Herb Sabiston, president of the club, was in charge of the banquet, which was only attended by club members. Harold Winterburn, a member of the Calgary Kinsmen Club who has moved to Victoria, was introduced.

Mickey McPherson, of the North Vancouver Club and a deputy district governor of the Kinsmen, was present at the meeting.

Following the dinner, the meeting adjourned to the lounge, where the members and their ladies were entertained with music and games in charge of Joe McAllister. At 11 a buffet supper was served.

Howard Tyrrell presented a silver hors d'oeuvre set on behalf of the club to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Luckhart, who are leaving to take up residence in Winnipeg.

Overnight Entries At Santa Anita

First race—Three furlongs: Seanoose 111, Marway 112, Counsellors 121, Watkinson 119, Jan Rose 115, His West 113, Hearty Star 110, Bang 113, Alice Payne 112, Bulkan 124, King Road 117, Cherokee 113, Smoky Snyder 113, Carmalta 112.

Second race—One mile: Rustina 101, Silver Sarah 107, Sera 104, Model Dams 103, Mickey Oboyle 100, Dissent 107, Bon Ivy 104, El Cerrito 115, Apollo 109, Pride of Me 103, Shasta 104, 111, Dolica Boy 107.

Third race—Six furlongs: Townsman 114, Noble Count 110, Some Good 109, Peter Saxon 105, Valdivia 108, Ariel Cross 112, Stand In 115, Clean Out 112, Vicar 111.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Speed to Spare 117, Tiger 110, Bill Farnsworth 115, Happy Bolivar 109, Air Clute 110.

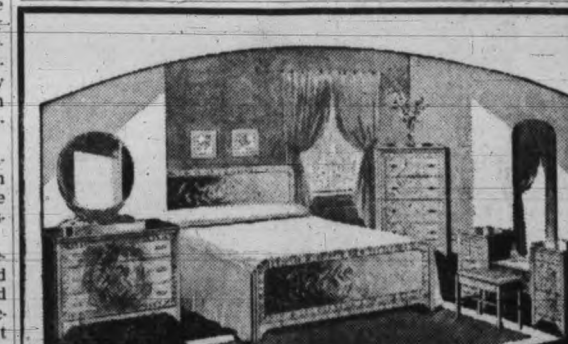
Fifth race—Six furlongs: High Lark 114, Alvis 116, Minus 103, Nations Taste 110, Lady Bowman 112, Party Spirit 113.

Sixth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Calumet 116, Pompon 124, Legal Light 108, Cozum 109, Time Supply 113, Indian Broom 110, Aneroid 119, Fair Knight 113, Woodberry 111, Sea Cuck 130, Mandingham 109, He Did 114, Star Shadow 107, Short 112.

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Parmenon 109, Sunny Martin 109, Red Clear 112, Gilbert Elston 109, Make and Break 113, King Royale 112, Schoolboy 109, Royal Reigh 113, Baby Rattler 113, Corum 117, Fra Diavolo 114.

Eighth race—Mile and one-quarter: Battling Girl 103, Lawless 116, Good Politian 112, Pompey 106, Marvel Play 102, Mickey's Me 107, Torville 104, Tareuil 109, Advancing 117, Red Ensign 120, Rodney Pao 109, Heronak Conard 103.

A light truck owned by B. Louis, Hillside Avenue, slipped its brakes while parked on Government Street yesterday and went over a small bank into a pile of lumber, according to a city police report. The machine was reported undamaged and there was no one in it at the time of the accident.



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Racing Results

SANTA ANITA—Results of horse races here yesterday follow:

First race—Three furlongs: First (Robertson) \$4.40 12.00 22.00

Don't Forget (Merritt) 2.80 5.20

Crysalis (Brammer) 4.80

Time 1:24 5-8. Also ran: Red Corn, Blue, Glazenwood, Timberland, Bonard, Truce, Nancy Ropes, Cliff Pan, Bassour, Laverne.

Second race—Six furlongs: First (McGowan) \$4.00 8.00 14.00

Telephus (T. Wilson) 26.80 11.00

Little Nymph (Johnson) \$13.00 11.00 27.20

Quibbles (Brammer) 4.40

Time 1:45 4-5. Also ran: Fannie, Bernhardt K. Ancestral, Ouboudy, Pig o' Milk, Cuyamaca, Will Do.

Third race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Bonion (J. Wilson) \$13.20 8.00 16.00

Machia (Hepa) 8.00 16.00

Miss Bam (McClintock) 3.00

Time 1:25 2-3. Also ran: Donna, Burt, Eria, Mumsie, Lady Gold, Polly B., Mildair, Tenace, Lady Jacqueline, Reilly, H. W. Quibbles (Brammer) 4.40

Time 1:45 4-5. Also ran: Tent, Mate, Jack, Be Nimick, Hugar, Playback, Too Little.

Fourth race—Seven furlongs: Boulder (Steffen) \$5.00 8.00 13.00

Jockite (Sheilhamer) 4.20 8.20

Fench (Brammer) 4.40

Time 1:25 2-3. Also ran: Sky Baby, Cup, In The Tribesman, Gallant Boy, Coast, Sun Pilot, World War, Gauntlet.

Sixth race—Seven furlongs: Little Nymph (Johnson) \$13.00 11.00 27.20

Torole (Adams) 8.20 16.40

Donna Leona (Connell) 10.20

Time 1:45 4-5. Also ran: Valhalla, Murr, Blaze, Over Yonder, Exhilit, Swirl, Neck, Galla, Galy, Viceroy.

Seventh race—Six furlongs: Our Carolyn (Jones) \$8.00 8.00 13.00

Black (Hepa) 4.00 8.00

Bubblesome (Sheilhamer) 6.00

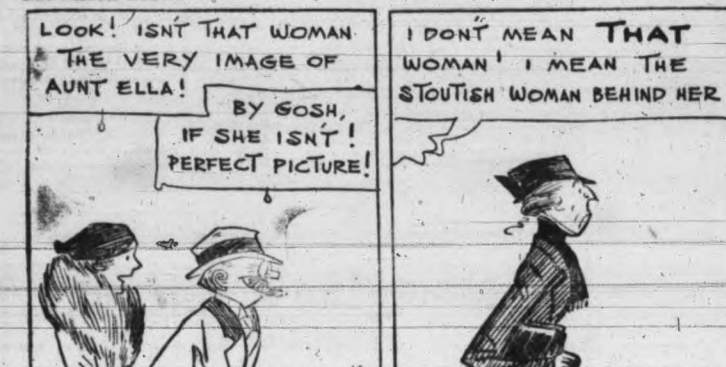
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BELA LANAN—COURT REPORTER



By Martin

Uncle Ray

India's Modern Hero

A few years ago, a meeting took place in London. It had something to do with the future of India. High officers of the British government were there, Indian princes were there, scores of newspaper reporters were there.



Mahatma Gandhi

The Indian princes wore costumes of the richest kind. They were adorned with rubies, sapphires and diamonds. Some of them, at least, believed they could speak for India.

The meeting, however, did not centre around the Indian princes. The British officials turned their eyes upon a little man, a homely little man, and waited for him to speak. He had come from India, but he wore no jewels. His clothing was so poor and so scanty that it hardly seemed proper for him to attend the meeting.

Yet he was there, and the world was eager to learn what he would say. The newspaper reporters were ready to cable his words to distant nations.

When, at last, he spoke, it was slowly and in a quiet voice. His words did not greatly please the officials, but they came from his heart, and they were the truth, or what he earnestly believed to be the truth, about India.

The man was Mahatma Gandhi, the hero of modern India. Gandhi was educated at Oxford, famous English university, but he has spent most of his life in his native land. His work and his hopes have been for the well-being of India. He has labored for the poor and down-trodden, of whom there are so many millions in Great Britain's most populous colony.

When Gandhi sailed from England, it seemed that he had failed. While he was returning home, he may have been sad in spirit, but almost certainly he spent his time thinking of what could be done in the future.

A peaceful, kindly man, Gandhi has followed the ways of peace in trying to obtain self-rule for India. The London meeting did not bring results at once, but results came later. The past year saw the beginning of a far larger measure of home rule for India, and Gandhi's dreams seem almost to have come true.

Mahatma Gandhi is 69 years of age. He is loved and hailed as a hero by people of every class in India. Yet he keeps on living in a simple home and eating simple food. His joy is not in selfish things, but in adding to the happiness of his fellow men.

UNCLE RAY.

Tomorrow: A Little Saturday Talk.

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. At what time of day may a bride's shower be given?
2. May a shower gift take the place of a wedding gift?
3. Is it all right for guests to take the refreshments with them when they go on a surprise party?
4. Is a stork shower ever given after a baby is born?
5. Is it good taste to give a shower for a woman about to be married for the second time? What would you do if—
You are invited to a shower for a person about whom you care nothing—
(a) Do not accept invitation for party but send a shower gift?
(b) Send regrets to party and not send a gift?
(c) Accept invitation and take a gift?

ANSWERS

1. Any time.
2. Usually no, although in some communities it is considered all right.
3. Yes, and very thoughtful.
4. Yes.
5. No.
Best "What Would You do" solution—(b) or (c). Hostess should take care to invite only intimate friends to a shower.

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Dorothy Dix

Girls Rush Into Marriage

Boys Delay Trip to Altar

WOMEN are the plaintiffs in most of the divorce cases yet, strangely enough, girls are far more eager to marry than are boys. They enter into marriage more recklessly and with much less sense of responsibility than boys do. Women meet the inevitable trials and tribulations of marriage with less courage and philosophy than men do, and when a home is broken up it is nearly always the wife and not the husband who does it. And that is another strange thing.

Of course, all adolescent boys and girls get a kick out of playing at being in love, just as all children do out of playing with fire, but the most callow lad, if he is even a grade above a moron, is content to regard his romancing as just a game. He does not take it seriously. He is not thinking of marriage except in some vague far-off time that seems almost as remote as death to him. Maybe when he is as old as his father he might get married. After he has seen the world and had a good time. And when he has made a fortune. But, gosh! Not now!



Not so, however, do the little 16 or 17 or 18-year-old flappers take calf love. Apparently every girl is born with a wedding ring in her mouth, and by the time she has cut her second teeth she has decided on what sort of a bridal gown she will have; whether she will be married at the church or at home under a floral bell, and whether she will have her bridesmaids in pink or blue. And the picture is so alluring that she conjures up that she can't wait to be grown to make it come true.

She is too much of a child and too utterly lacking in all worldly wisdom to know what it is all about, but she is determined to be married right away—immediately! She can't stand it until she is a doddering old woman of 20. Hence when a couple of kids in their teens run off and get married, it is a safe bet that the girl originated the plan and begged, persuaded, cajoled and shanghaied the boy into doing it.

It is the girls who rush into marriage without apparently giving one glance at the future, one thought to the consequences of what they are doing, or one-tenth of the consideration to its suitability that they would give to the selection of a new hat. They treat getting married as lightly as they do going to an afternoon tea, yet they are bound to know that it is the most important step they ever take in their whole lives and that it settles their fate for good or ill.

Perhaps it is because men have the fear of alimony before their eyes if a marriage turns out disastrously, and because men know that the husband always pays and pays and pays that makes boys look upon marriage more seriously than girls do. That they do there is no denying. It is the bride who sails triumphantly and smiling to the altar, while the frightened bridegroom, pale as a ghost, stumbles to it on frozen feet.

Very few young men who are in college, or studying professions, or who are out of work and not even able to support themselves want to marry until they are in a position to take care of a wife, but thousands of them are dragged into premature marriages by girls who give no thought to the morrow, how they shall be fed or where-withal shall they be clothed.

And after marriage there is the same difference in the attitude of the sexes toward the holy estate. Probably there are just as many disappointed, disillusioned husbands as there are wives, but it is a rare thing to hear a man complaining of his wife, while wives' favorite indoor amusement is harping upon their husbands' faults. If a man doesn't like his wife he waits to tell it to the judge and not to their acquaintances, but she regales her friends with all his shortcomings.

Furthermore, if a man is unhappy in his home, if his wife proves uncongenial and unsympathetic, he does not let it wreck his whole life, as so many women do if their marriages are failures. He does not dwell on his misfortune until it blots out all the sunshine of the world. He finds consolation in his business and his ambition, and thinks that it is a pretty good old world even if his house of dreams has gone to smash.

And he seldom breaks up his home of his own accord. Many a man endures patiently for a lifetime domestic conditions that would have sent a woman to Reno on the first train. Rum business, anyway, marriage, isn't it?

DOROTHY DIX.

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FIREHALL BURNS
BROOKHAVEN, Pa. (AP)—Things were dull around the firehouse of the Brookhaven volunteer fire company Thursday, so Chief Joe McCain put the boys to work burning weeds on the lot. Then they went to lunch. The firehouse caught fire—and burned to the ground.

Movie Scrapbook

RAY MILLAND



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News of Clubwomen

A Valentine tea was held by St. Mark's W.A. in the hall Wednesday afternoon. The decorations were carried out with green leaves, paper flowers and Valentine emblems, and colonial bouquets centred the tea tables. The Misses Margaret and Elsie George gave a varied program of music and singing, and little Norah Rushworth did a song and dance number. Corsage bouquets of freesias and violets were presented to the artists. A collection in aid of W.A. funds was taken.

The Victoria Purple Star Lodge No. 104, L.O.B.A. held their regular business meeting on Wednesday evening with the worthy mistress Mrs. A. Edmonds presiding, assisted by deputy mistress Mrs. F. Harper. Plans were made for the birthday banquet in the Orange Hall on March 28 at 8 p.m. The banquet will be convoked by R. W. Mrs. E. Doane, assisted by Mrs. F. Harper, Mrs. O. Thomas and Mrs. D. Phelps. After the meeting light refreshments were served.

The February group of the Victoria City Temple birthday club held a Valentine social on Wednesday. They were responsible for the effective decoration carried out in the hall, in which hearts and other emblems of St. Valentine were introduced. After the group was formed into couples, they took part in the 12 games that were supervised by Miss D. Gascoigne, Mr. N. Phillips, and Mr. R. Holt. Following the games a comic "Honey-moon Trip" was staged by Mr. R. Snider, Mrs. M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Lidstone, Mr. R. Holt and Miss P. Findlay. During the evening, Mrs. Dawson sang "I Love You Truly," and an encore. Mrs. E. Prentice won the cake, which was in the form of a heart, and was donated by Mrs. G. Holt. Supper was served by the kitchen committee.

She Can Feel Rhythm

SAN FRANCISCO—Deaf and dumb, Frances Woods can feel rhythm, and with a male partner, earns her living by dancing at night clubs.

NO HURRY FOR RESTORATION

Vice-president of American Mail Line Says 12-passenger Limit Enough

No definite action will be taken immediately regarding full restoration of American Mail Line passenger service between the northwest and the Orient, John Cormode, vice-president of the company in Seattle, said yesterday, following the visit of R. Stanley Dollar, president of the line.

Mr. Dollar made a hurried visit to Seattle from San Francisco, but his business was not divulged. "When peace is restored in the Far East," Mr. Cormode said, "it will be time enough to think about installing fire alarm and loud-speaker systems required to put the ships back on a passenger status. This can be done simply enough on each ship between voyages."

Pilots' Lookout

La Placencia (American), passed Victoria, outbound, 9.30 a.m.
Rosebank (Canadian), loading 500,000 feet of lumber, for California ports, at Rithet Docks.
Princess Maquinn (Canadian), arrived Victoria, from West Coast of Vancouver Island, 1 p.m.
Empress of Russia (Canadian), to sail from Victoria, for Orient ports, 5.30 p.m. Saturday.
Empress of Japan (British), due Victoria, from Orient ports and Honolulu, Saturday, February 26.

Spoken By Wireless

February 17, 8 p.m.—Shipping: PRINCE RUPERT (CP)—The Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Association yesterday started a new year after an annual meeting at which it was reported the total sales value of its fish was \$161,000 in 1937. This was an increase of \$8,600 over 1936 sales. Cost of sales decreased \$6,600 in 1937. Despite the increase in sales value, production last year was 1,500,000 pounds, 235,000 pounds less than 1936. The meeting unanimously passed a resolution recommending that the Department of Fisheries of both United States and Canada work in close co-operation to prohibit high sea fishing by Japanese in waters contiguous to Canadian and United States possessions. Another resolution passed protested the issuing of trap licenses in British Columbia.

Deep-sea Shipping

TO ARRIVE
DINTELDT, Rotterdam, London, Kingston, February 20.
EMPEROR OF JAPAN, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Honolulu, February 21.
PRINCE RUPERT, Manila, Hongkong, Kobe, Nagoya, Yokohama, March 2.
TO SAIL
HELAN MARU (Vancouver), Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, February 19.

"Pelorus Jack" Recalled Here

Tom Kelway Remembers Dolphin That Guided Ships Through New Zealand Sound

There was a story in The Times this week about "Pelorus Jack," a dolphin that for years guided ships through Pelorus Sound, separating the North and South Islands of New Zealand.

Tom Kelway, well-known restaurateur of Victoria, read the story and vouches for its accuracy.

More than 30 years ago Mr. Kelway served on boats that plied along the coasts of Australia, New Zealand and Tasmania. "I saw 'Pelorus Jack' many times," he said this morning. "We always looked for him when we entered the Sound and when we saw him we felt we were in safe waters."

Legend says the dolphin piloted the ships through the Sound.

"He certainly came right along with the ships, but I think he followed them more for food than anything else," Mr. Kelway said. "I remember the passengers and crew used to throw him food. If he saw another ship just entering the Sound, as we were going out, he would turn around and follow it."

Mr. Kelway says "Pelorus Jack" was about 25 feet in length, and was often mistaken for a shark. He also said he understood the stretch of water was Nelson Sound, which led into Cook Straits.

Mr. Kelway remembers how the Maoris held "Pelorus Jack" in great respect. Legend said the dolphin frolicked in the same waters for close to 300 years. Several years ago he disappeared and has never been seen since.

Northern Fishermen Protest Fish Traps

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U.S. May Use "Suicide Torpedo" Boats



U.S. to Purchase Electric Liners

Report in New York Says Big Ships to Be Acquired By Government

NEW YORK—The Herald Tribune yesterday said the United States Maritime Commission has offered to purchase the Panama Pacific electric liners California, Virginia and Pennsylvania, which for years have connected New York and California, via the Panama Canal and Havana.

The paper says it was learned in reliable quarters that the company has called a special meeting of stockholders to pass on the proposal to sell the ships which cost approximately \$18,000,000 to build several years ago.

Should the proposal be approved by the stockholders, the newspaper says, the three vessels now employed in the New York-California trade would be transferred to a new government-owned service to be established between New York, Rio de Janeiro, Santos, Montevideo and Buenos Aires.

As outlined, the Herald Tribune continues, the Maritime Commission also proposes to improve the South America service by building three twenty-five-knot luxury liners which can be converted into aircraft carriers on short notice.

Douglas Mainliner Sets New Records

Equipped with the most powerful engines of any transport landplane in the United States, a new DC-3 type Douglas Mainliner of United Air Lines has chalked up record performance for a passenger airliner at higher altitudes, according to advices received here today from W. A. Patterson, president of United. Patterson's announcement followed completion of demonstration flights for the Army Air Corps at Dayton, Ohio, by Ben O. Howard, research pilot for United. The same pilot recently made a non-stop flight from Los Angeles to Chicago at 12,000 to 17,000 feet in conducting tests of the new Mainliner's 14-cylinder, twin-row Wasp engines.

According to company officials, the plane can cruise 207 miles per hour at 13,000 feet while using only 54 per cent power and can climb to 11,500 feet on only one engine.

To Relieve Catarrh, Catarrhal Deafness And Head Noises

Persons suffering from catarrh of the ear, or who are growing hard of hearing and have head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can usually be successfully treated at home by an internal medicine that in many instances has effected complete relief after other treatments have failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear. Therefore, if you know of someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrhal deafness, cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist one ounce of Permin (Double Strength). Take this home and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

Permin is used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian Tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are nearly always quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in any form, or distressing, rumbling, hissing sounds in their ears, should give this recipe a trial.

Great Air Base Near Tacoma

Chamber of Commerce Says Army May Station 500 Planes There

SEATTLE (AP)—Frank Walsh of the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce Thursday forecast expenditures of \$12,000,000 over a six-year period on the United States army's proposed air base near Tacoma. He said the area now reserved for it totaled more than 1,200 acres between Tacoma and Fort Lewis.

The army has not revealed how many fighting planes might be assigned the base, but Walsh said unofficial estimates ranged from 200 to 500, with 11 men per plane. "I am inclined to believe we shall have at least 500 planes and more than 5,000 men on duty at the field," he said.

The field would be a base for bombers, pursuit ships, observation planes and photographic units, he said.

Japanese Honor Panay Victim

SEATTLE (AP)—The acting Japanese consul and the president of the Seattle Japanese Chamber of Commerce placed a wreath last night on the casket of Edgar William George Hulisebus, victim of the Japanese bombing of the United States gunboat Panay in the Yangtze River, December 12. The body of Hulisebus, ex-swain, U.S.N., was brought here yesterday aboard the steamer President Jefferson from the Orient. It will be transhipped to the chief supply officer at the Puget Sound naval yard in Bremerton, Wash., who will arrange to send it to Canton, Mo. The wreath was purchased by Seattle Japanese. It was placed by acting consul Midzuho Ishide and President Kuniso Mayeno of the Seattle Japanese Chamber.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 5 a.m.—A low pressure area is now centred off the Queen Charlotte Islands and rain is falling on the coast. It has become milder over the interior of British Columbia accompanied by light snowfall. Temperatures are rising in Victoria while sub-zero temperatures prevail in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Reports
Victoria—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, maximum yesterday 44, minimum 38; calm; precipitation, trace, cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, maximum yesterday 46, minimum 38; wind, 4 miles S.E.; precipitation, .04; raining.
Langara—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday 44, minimum 40; wind, 10 miles S.E.; precipitation, .02; raining.
Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, maximum yesterday 44, minimum 38; wind, 10 miles S.E.; precipitation, .04; raining.
Tatoosh—Temperature, maximum yesterday 42, minimum 38; wind, 14 miles E.; precipitation, .08; raining.
Seattle—Temperature, maximum yesterday 48, minimum 40; wind, 8 miles S.E.; raining.
Portland, Ore.—Temperature, maximum yesterday 44, minimum 34; wind, 4 miles S.W.; precipitation, 17; raining.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, maximum yesterday 42, minimum 36; wind, 10 miles E.; precipitation, .11; raining.

	Temperatures	Max.	Min.
Victoria		44	38
Nanaimo		42	36
Yasloper		42	36
West Vancouver		42	36
Dawson		24	42
Beaumont		48	40
Portland		44	34
San Francisco		54	36
Kanapa		50	30
Prince George		22	16
Kelowna		27	19
Peston		26	24
Vernon		22	19
Grand Forks		20	14
Nelson		20	14
Kaslo		18	12
Trail		14	8
Edmonton		10	4
Calgary		4	0
Prince Albert		4	0
Moose Jaw		4	0
Gr. Apple		2	0
Winnipeg		2	0
Regina		2	0
Saskatoon		2	0
Toronto		34	23
Ottawa		20	8
St. John		22	4
Halifax		14	2

Forecast
Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong southerly winds, mostly cloudy, and mild with showers, today and Saturday.

Vancouver Shipping

VANCOUVER (CP)—Sea traffic through the First Narrows, entrance to Vancouver harbor, will be halted about an hour a day this spring.

At that time work crews will be laying eight suspension cables for the new \$6,000,000 Lions Gate bridge.

Huge rolls of flexible steel will be taken on a barge and unrolled as the scow is towed across the narrow channel.

When the ends are on each shore the cables will be lifted to the bridge towers. Engineers have estimated it will take about one hour to lay and lift one cable.

The Dutch Ms. Mansenville of the Royal Holland Lloyd Line arrived yesterday to Anglo Canadian Shipping Company Limited. This will be her last voyage to Vancouver as she will be placed on the run between Holland and South America.

Originally owned by the Fred Olsen Line of Norway, she has been bought by the Dutch line.

Her place in the Olsen Line service will be taken by Ms. Knut Nelson.

L. M. G. Gore was elected president of the British Columbia Towboat Owners' Association at the annual meeting here.

Captain J. A. Cates was named vice-president, Ray Bicknell, treasurer, and J. H. Hamilton, secretary.

Tide Table

FEBRUARY							
Date	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time
	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.	ft.	h.m.
18	5:30	8:12	02	4:6	18:06	6:7	23:20
19	5:56	8:13	09	4:20	20:22	6:5	23:37
20	6:24	8:14	00	4:38			
21	6:50	8:15	00	4:36			

AIR RUN EXTENDED

EDMONTON (CP)—One-day air travel between Edmonton and Vancouver will be possible on weekly service to be inaugurated "in a few weeks" by United Air Transport, Grant McConachie, company president, announced yesterday.

Starting next Saturday the recently-established weekly service between Ashcroft and Fort St. John, linking with the Edmonton-Whitehorse run, will be extended to Vancouver. Thus the coast city will have direct aerial connection with interior British Columbia, Peace River area, and Yukon, indirect connection with Edmonton.

EDMONTON (CP)—W. R. "Wop" May, division superintendent of Canadian Airways, announced here today Russell Baker, coast flier formerly with Cootes Airways at Vancouver, and pioneer pilot in central British Columbia, has been appointed to open and take charge of the new Canadian Airways base at Fort St. James, 75 miles northwest of Prince George.

GIANT REDWOODS

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- (2.) Employers respecting salaries and wages paid to employees during the calendar year 1937.

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FEBRUARY 28th, 1938

Taxpayers should obtain forms from any Provincial Government office or chartered bank in the Province.

An urgent request is made for these returns to be filed as much in advance of the final date as possible to enable the Department to give better service to taxpayers than can be provided during the rush of the last day.

Corporation, business, or professional income is required to be returned within three months after the end of the taxpayer's fiscal year.

C. B. PETERSON,
Commissioner of Income Tax.

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